

U. S. INVITES POWERS MEET ON PEACE DAY

Definite Suggestion of November 11 for Disarmament Meet Sent to all Nations

SAY PATH IS CLEARING FOR FAR-EAST DEBATE

Chances of Pacific Questions Being Discussed are Bright

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Great Britain's willingness to accept any date for the opening of the forthcoming disarmament conference has led to the definite suggestion of November 11, Armistice day of this year, as an appropriate occasion.

The matter has been the subject of informal conversations and while no formal announcement was available at the state department it was learned that the state assured of British acquiescence. American officials said the original suggestion of Armistice day into definite form for all the invited powers and await acknowledgment from abroad.

Officials would not indicate just how much progress has been made in the interchange of opinion regarding the agenda of the meetings, but unofficially it is known they consider that the path is being cleared for a frank discussion of far eastern questions.

GREEKS HUNT TURK SHIP WITH ARMS FROM NEW YORK

ATHENS.—The Greek ministry of marine, the newspaper Hestia says has received advices that the Turkish steamer Gök Dönemli sailed from New York July 25 with a cargo of munitions for the Turkish nationalists. Greek warships have been instructed to hold up the steamer and confiscate her cargo.

ROTARY CLUB AND KIWANIS TO PLAY BALL THIS EVENING

The Rotary club and Kiwanis club baseball teams will play their second game at the West Avenue playground at 7:30 tonight. The Rotary club won the first game, 9 to 5, but the Kiwanis team is confident of turning the tables tonight. An interesting and hard fought game is promised to-night.

FOUR CHILDREN DIE IN FIRE OF TENEMENT HOUSE

NEW YORK.—Four children were burned to death and seven other persons were seriously injured in an early morning fire which swept four tenement houses in the Bronx this morning.

The dead are: Victoria Corsino, 9; Harry Corsino, 8; Edna Corsino, 10, and William Corsino, 5, all children of Julio Corsino.

WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity.—Showers and cooler tonight. Saturday fair and cooler.

For Wisconsin.—Unsettled weather with showers tonight and in east portion Saturday. Cooler in west and south portions Sunday. For Minnesota.—Fair tonight and Saturday, preceded by thunder showers Friday afternoon in extreme east portion. Cooler tonight. For Iowa.—Thunder showers this afternoon or tonight. Cooler tonight. Saturday fair; cooler in east and central portions.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES
6 a. m. 64 10 a. m. 73
9 a. m. 68 11 a. m. 75
12 m. 72 1 p. m. 78
4 p. m. 76 6 p. m. 82

There will be no material change in the river stages during the next 48 hours.

Station	Stage	24-hour change
St. Paul	14.2	+0.2
Red Wing	13.8	+0.1
Decorah	13.6	+0.1
Winona	13.4	+0.1
St. Cloud	13.2	+0.1
Dubuque	13.0	+0.1
Shakopee	12.8	+0.1
Wadena	12.6	+0.1
Brainerd	12.4	+0.1
Grand Rapids	12.2	+0.1
St. James	12.0	+0.1
Wadena	11.8	+0.1
Brainerd	11.6	+0.1
Grand Rapids	11.4	+0.1
St. James	11.2	+0.1
Wadena	11.0	+0.1
Brainerd	10.8	+0.1
Grand Rapids	10.6	+0.1
St. James	10.4	+0.1
Wadena	10.2	+0.1
Brainerd	10.0	+0.1
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St. James	9.6	+0.1
Wadena	9.4	+0.1
Brainerd	9.2	+0.1
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NATION-WIDE RECORD

Lowest temperature last 24 hours

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Land Owners Cannot Deny Access To State's Lakes And Rivers--Morgan

MADISON, Wis.—Private owners have no lawful right to obstruct the lakes of Wisconsin from use by the public through construction of levees across pathways or by any other means that would keep the waters out of public use. Attorney General William Morgan holds Friday in an opinion to the conservation commission.

The stand of the attorney general will open all of the lakes of the state to any persons who care to make use of them, without permitting private owners of abutting land from excluding them. It points out that the shores of Lake Michigan and Superior are included within this interpretation.

"The rights of the public in navigable waters of the state and on the shores of lakes, the beds of which are owned by the state, below the high-water mark are paramount to the private rights of owners of abutting lands," the opinion states.

"It is important that these rights be maintained. The principle of state ownership of our lakes and the beds thereof to the highwater mark would be meaningless and impotent, if the use and enjoyment of the public water could be monopolized by riparian owners, simply by permitting them to exclude the public from access thereto, in denying the public its right to the use of the shore below the high-water mark."

"The state of Wisconsin is not propagating and protecting fish at public expense for the benefit of the favored few who may own the lands abutting upon public water."

Cannot Exclude Anyone
"The property owner has no right to prevent any person from entering to any lake or to exclude from any part of a lake."

This opinion is said by the attorney general to be in conflict with the common notion of private owners of lands about lakes. It is broad in its scope and will mean the opening of hundreds of lakes now excluded from the public, to their use.

Action of a private owner of land near Fond du Lac State park in building a fence to exclude the public was the basis of the opinion.

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STRANGER MISJUDGES JUDGE HUNT; JUDGE JUDGES HE DIDN'T WAIT TO GET HOOCH

JUDGE CLINT HUNT stood in Main street, in front of a cigar store, to be exact, Thursday evening, gazing at the sky, the buildings, the paving and several motor cars that were traveling the main highway. In other words the judge didn't have much on his mind at that moment.

A "henry" hearing a Minnesota license plate drove to the left, and, as is the custom in Minnesota, parked at a sharp angle from the curb in front of the cigar store. Three of the four men in the bus got out and meandered west on Main street and then south on Third.

The fourth occupant remained behind and fussed with the steering wheel, switches and levers for a minute and then stepped out of the car.

The judge knew the car was parked contrary to the methods laid down in the La Crosse city ordinance. He felt compassion for the "stranger within the city's gates" so he told the fellow as he passed him that he should park his auto parallel with the curb.

The man thanked him, re-entered the "henry," switched back and forth a few times, finally coming to rest on the opposite side of the street, parked according to Hoyle.

Then the stranger approached the judge. He was grinning. Getting close to him, he made a trumpet of his hand, connected with the judge's left ear and whispered:

"Say, we're strangers. Just got in from Caledonia. Awful dry. Terribly dry. Too darn dry to live. Tell us where we can get a bottle of whiskey."

And the stranger got the 14 karat, 17 jewel smile in operation again.

"My good man," began the judge (if the other fellow had been a native he would have guessed what was coming when the judge started off like that)—

"My good man, I am the police magistrate of this city. I can't tell you where you can get a bottle of whiskey, but I can tell you what will happen to you after you get it."

"Holy smoke!" exploded the Caledonian with the perched throat.

In a flash he had hopped for his "henry," the old bus snorted and roared and down Main street rolled Caledonian, car and all. Curtain.

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THREE ARRESTED ON SUSPICION OF THEFT OF CHICAGO AUTO

Three Strangers Held at Central Station to Answer Alleged Auto Theft Charges

ABANDONED BIG TOURING CAR IN ALLEY THURSDAY

Believed to Have Recognized Car Parked in Front of Station

AN unusual arrest was made by officers of the local police department Friday morning when three strangers, believed to be involved in the theft of a Chicago automobile, which was found in an alley in the vicinity of Ninth and Pine streets Thursday evening, were brought into Central station on suspicion of being connected with the alleged theft.

The men arrested gave their names as follows: Earl Brown, Detroit, Michigan; Harold Buchanan and Andy Cook, Los Angeles.

Parking the car, which is of the Oldsmobile eight cylinder type, in front of Central station after leaving it in front of a building between Eighth and Ninth streets on Pine, Thursday evening, police officers Friday morning became suspicious of three strangers who evidently recognized the machine as they passed on Fifth street.

Noting that the strangers paid particular attention to the car, the police arrested the three men.

Mrs. L. Berto, living at 818 Pine street, reported to the police about 9 o'clock Thursday evening that a car had been driven into the alley immediately in the rear of her residence and abandoned. Her report indicated that the men quickly left the machine after stopping in the alley and proceeded on foot down Pine street.

That the driver and occupants of the car did not show up about the premises later in the night was evidenced by the fact that an officer remained in the vicinity for some time in an effort to arrest the parties involved. Officers sent out to examine the machine found that the motor had stalled and that the lights refused to burn. The machine was towed in and parked on Fifth street in front of the station, where it was standing when the three strangers stopped for an instant to look over the car in passing, thereby arousing the suspicion of the police.

Believed Stolen Car
That the car bearing an Illinois and city of Chicago license had been stolen in that city was the belief of the police when a baggage or traveling paraphernalia of any description was found in the machine. The car showed signs of having been abused. It was believed that the car was propelled for a distance by the starter when the police found on attempting to drive in that the motor refused to function.

The machine is an Oldsmobile, eight cylinder, with a Chicago and Illinois license number. The men will be held pending investigation of the case.

DAIRYMEN FAIL TO FORM PLAN OF CO-OP SELLING

MADISON, Wis.—Milk producers who met here Thursday with the department of markets to consider organization of the dairy industry of the state for co-operative marketing, failed to reach an agreement, it was announced Friday. It is not expected by the department that this move will succeed.

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ARGENTINE OFFICIAL PAPER COMPLAINS OF YANKEE TRADE

Says U. S. Merchants are Losing Out Because They Don't Play Game Right

BUENOS AIRES.—The decline in United States trade with South America, and particularly with Argentina, forms the subject of an outspoken article in La Epoca, the government organ.

After explaining that its present criticisms are written in the same friendly spirit as were the eulogiums it has frequently voiced on former occasions, La Epoca points out that despite the business acumen and commercial foresight of American merchants, proved over and over again in a thousand ways they have failed to hold the position they gained in the South American markets during the war simply because they have refused to adopt methods calculated to suit Latin American conditions.

They began their export operations by insisting on spot payments against bills of lading and allowed the buyer no time to examine the goods or any opportunity to express his consent or otherwise. Later, a concession of three months and, afterwards, of six months credit was granted but the refusal to allow an examination of the goods continued.

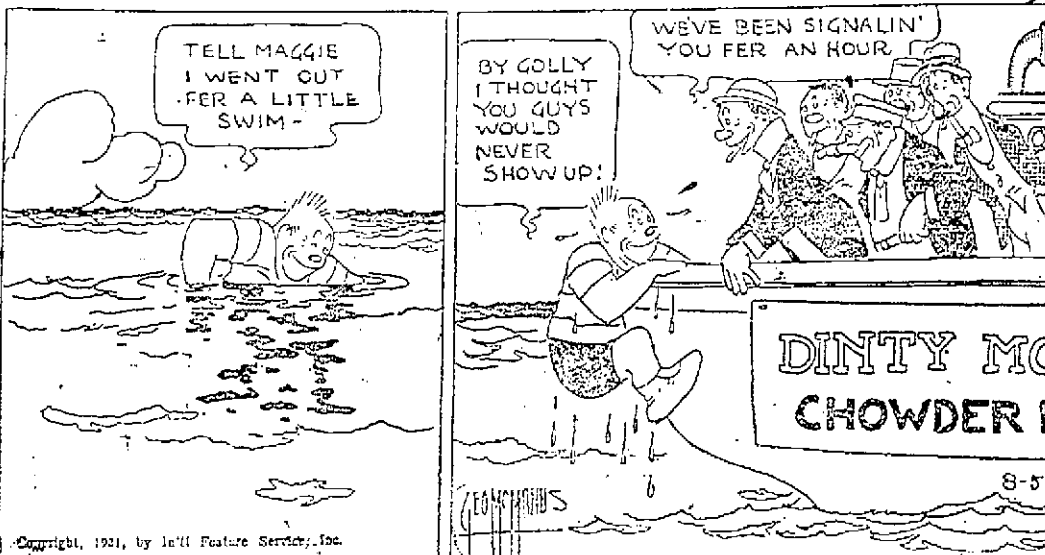
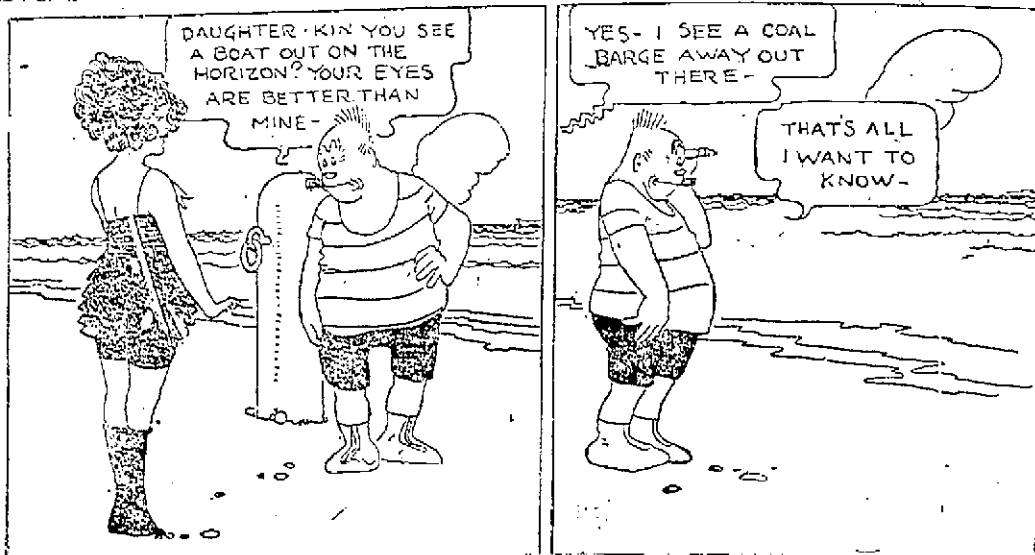
But as these extensions of credit have coincided with the extraordinary appreciation of the United States dollar in respect to Argentine currency, with the official prohibition to export Argentine gold, and with the high interest—some cases nine percent—charged by North American banks for discounting bills given in payment of American goods, these concessions have, in reality, "canceled" nothing.

Again North American investors have shown little inclination to put their money into South American enterprises, says La Epoca, nor have their manufacturers consulted Latin American tastes in the preparation of articles destined for the Argentine markets. Again and again the questionable business methods of some of the agents of important northern firms have been denounced. Finally, the deficient transport services have not been materially improved.

If this were not enough, continues La Epoca, while the United States "Finance Minister" plants autisms in the minds of the "upper class" policy which is to eliminate tariff and unjust privileges, the government decrees an emergency tariff in protection of its own producers which constitutes a severe blow to Argentine exportation.

Under these circumstances and in the name of Pan-American fraternity, La Epoca urges the careful study of the question in order to arrive at a favorable solution of the difficulties mentioned. There are no fundamental divergences to overcome but simply those of method, it says adding that harmonious relations are worth more than a few dollars in the Treasury of either nation.

BRINGING UP FATHER



NORMA SORRY U. W. STUDENTS SUSPENDED

Popular Movie-Star Says Party Was "Quiet Little Affair; We Just Had a Good Time"

MADISON, Wis.—It's a great shame if any of those boys got into trouble.

This was the sympathetic exclamation of Norma Talmadge at BaySide, N. Y., when told sixteen University of Wisconsin students had been placed under "disciplinary suspension" as a result of the dance party given in her honor July 22 during her visit here.

"It was a quiet little party," the movie star said, "and we just had a good time. The boys were all out to give me a jolly birthday party and they sent me home before 11."

"We played hunt the slipper, musical chairs, danced a bit and then I went off to bed."

Nine of the suspended students are men, seven are co-eds.

Four other women students were called "in the carpet" before Dean of Women Miss F. L. Nardin and were reprimanded, it is said. Letters were sent to their parents, it is claimed.

The party provoked a searching investigation by the dean of women and the director of the summer session.

Information from official university sources is that the party brought the disciplinary action of Dean S. H. Goodnight, dean of men and director of the summer session, and of Dean Nardin, because the party was not registered at the dean's office, was held after hours outside the city limits, and for other reasons.

Praternity leaders were recently invited to a conference with Judge A. C. Hoffmann of superior court and were warned that complaints had been made to the city authorities against the fraternities.

CLENA UP STREET OF FAKIRS AND FENCES

BERLIN.—The Street of Many Fakirs—the section of the Friedrichstrasse between Unter den Linden and Koch streets—may soon lose the right to its exotic title, won by virtue

of the varied and questionable commerce which thrives upon its sidewalks and crossings, for an agitation has been started to "clean it up."

Every article from jumping-jacks to fine Oriental rugs may be purchased from the vendors who infest the street, eternally crying their wares.

The chief complaint against the character of the street, however, is that thieves use it continually as a

clearing-place to market their "junk." Not infrequently a ragged, unkempt man will offer most expensive imported fabrics for selling in odd bolt lots, at ridiculous figures.

Much of this stuff, the police feel certain, has been stolen, but it is difficult to fix the crime on the street vendor.

Victims of the various drug habits find their chief source of supply on this street.

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More Fish in the North Sea

Attention has been drawn during the last twelve months to the increased abundance of certain fish, particularly of plaice, in the North Sea. This has been generally ascribed, there is little doubt correctly, to the partial rest which was afforded to the diminution of fishing during the war. It is perhaps less widely known that the North Sea plaice landed are different also in size from those taken on the same grounds before the war. Thus in the southern part of the North Sea the largest plaice captured are larger, good sized fish are more common—indeed the average size has risen considerably—while on some grounds where before the war small plaice were common none are now found.

The mortality among the young seals is very great, probably 50 per cent, due to the fact that the seal is the food supply to bear, eagles, the deadly thrasher and other meat-eating fish.

GREAT FOR ECZEMA AND OLD SORES

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"If you are responsible for the health of your family," says Peterson, of Buffalo, "I want you to get a large 25 cent box of Peterson's Ointment today. Remember, I stand back of every box. Every sufferer guaranteed to find the purchase price if Peterson's Ointment doesn't do all I claim."

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GOD SHALL HELP

God is in the midst of his work. He shall not be moved.
God shall help her, and that right early.—Psalms 68: 5.

Not So Different

GREAT BRITAIN'S government is asking the house of commons to authorize construction of four huge battleships, which would be laid down, according to the program, before the disarmament conference at Washington begins. The government denies that this is competition with the United States, or has anything to do with the relative strength of our navy. It is merely to replace obsolete ships out of commission, it is explained.

Nevertheless, it does seem an odd coincidence that recrudescence of naval building in Great Britain should begin, after three years' lapse, immediately upon the formulation of the American proposition for a disarmament conference. Is Britain getting her sea-power strengthened in case of a successful outcome of the disarmament conference, realizing that the agreement will in all probability limit future building but not require the scrapping of current ships? Or is the proposal one for policy's sake—the accumulation of trading stock for the purpose of making apparent concessions gracefully in return for certain useful advantages?

Perhaps a little of both—but it does not behoove this country to be too captious in the circumstances. It should be recalled that within a very few months we have been pushing an unusually large naval building program ourselves. Secretary Mellon informed congress on Thursday that in July alone the United States spent \$15,000,000 on its army and navy—that is at the rate of considerably more than a billion a year for armament.

Our position is not greatly dissimilar from that of Britain, except for the fact that we began our navy building months ahead of theirs—and that the disarmament council is to be held at our suggestion.

We would be in a better position to criticize the four new battleships requested by the British government if we had stopped our arming—or at least our navy-building, when the disarmament invitation was issued. That we did not open our position to the same criticisms that apply to Britain—and doubtless the motives of each government are not greatly unlike. This is a practical world—in international affairs at least.

The Triumphs of Age

WHAT will you be doing in your old age? Will you be sitting on the front porch, stroking your white hair? Or will you be active, powerful and a leader? This latter, you may doubt. For most of us have the false notion that old age necessitates inactivity.

Consider the case of the Earl of Halsbury—99 years old, the oldest man in the British House of Lords where he is leader of the conservatives or "die-hards." Halsbury, in his prime one of the greatest English lawyers, became Lord Chancellor in 1885 and served until 1905 when he was 83. Now, preparing to celebrate his 100th birthday, he is busily supervising the writing of a 20-volume edition interpreting the whole law of England. The Earl of Duce, 94, is rounding out his 68th year of service in the House of Lords, along with 89-year-old Baron Eversley, both extremely active.

Compared with these English politicians, Senator Lodge, 71, is a youngster. So are Senator Dillingham, 77, and Senator Culberson, and Senator La Follette, each 66. Only Uncle Joe Cannon, 85, is a real rival.

If you have an idea of retiring when you are 60, consider these great exploits by old men: Titian painted his famous Battle of Lepanto when he was 98; Von Moltke was in full uniform at 88; Commodore Vanderbilt did not become a great railroad king until he was 70 and at 88 he was the most active railroad man of his day; Socrates began studying music when he was 80; Pasteur discovered his hydrophobia cure after he was 60; Columbus, between 50 and 60, made his first voyages of American discovery; Voltaire, Newton, Spencer, Tallyrand and Thomas Jefferson—all were active and in their intellectual prime after 80; when Galileo

discovered the monthly and daily vibrations of the moon, he was 73. There are tens of thousands of other instances of great men who did their best work in old age.

You in your youth grope rather blindly. Experience comes slowly. With old age arrives wisdom—a real knowledge of life. It's a good thing for a government to have gray-beards among its younger legislators. It's a good thing for a business to have old men sitting on the lid at headquarters while the young bloods go out after the business. Youth often is too impulsive. Old age, remembering scorched fingers, is conservative. The two, working together, make the happy medium. Nature can make your joints stiffen and your arteries hard, your hair white and your face lined with wrinkles. But your brain—your real self—can defy old age. Train your brain, learn to think straight, if you would make old age the most successful period of your life.

A Challenge to Patriotism

WHEN it is considered that the war ended nearly three years ago, it seems incredible that the people and government of these great United States continue to be as criminally negligent as they are in their treatment of sick and disabled soldiers. As fact piles upon fact, proving beyond the slightest question that the situation is unspeakably bad, one can only marvel that the officers of the American Legion have been as patient and restrained as they have.

The testimony brought out by the Senate Committee on Soldiers' Relief since it began its hearings, several weeks ago, should bring the blush of shame to every government official, directly or indirectly responsible. Unfortunately the whole matter is in such a chaotic condition that up to now it seems impossible to fix the responsibility.

The latest disclosures have to do with the way the thousands of poor fellows who contracted tuberculosis while fighting for their country, have been and are being treated. One would think that these helpless sufferers would be given the same character of treatment which private citizens able to pay the highest fees could obtain. But such is not the case. Far from it. Read what Dr. N. A. Pattison, supervisor of the medical service of the National Tuberculosis Association, told the senate committee about the way the tubercular soldiers are being treated. Dr. Pattison gave his testimony following a visit to fifty hospitals in forty-four states. The facilities in these hospitals, Dr. Pattison told the committee, "are grossly inadequate." Most of the hospitals now available for ex-service men suffering with tuberculosis are "wholly unsuited" for use and "wholly unadapted to the care of tuberculous patients." To a large extent the government is utilizing old base hospitals, made up of flimsy, inflammable structures. A particularly bad example is the hospital at Greenville, S. C., which the doctor described as made up of "wretched deteriorated shacks, involving a terrific fire hazard." "If it caught fire in a high wind, the whole hospital would soon be burned to the ground, probably with a heavy loss of life." At many of the hospitals there is a lack of physicians to attend the disabled veterans of the war.

If we, who have benefited by these men's sacrifices, fail to bring immediate and irresistible pressure upon the government to have these unspeakable conditions remedied, are we honest when we call ourselves patriots?

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

The plumbing firm of Thill, Manning and Whalen today started the laying of the water pipes to the St. Michael's orphanage in the southern part of the city. Some time ago the city voted to allow this main to be put in but action was delayed.

The school board has decided that a new school house to accommodate fifty-seven children should be erected in the Twenty-first ward and it is now up to the council to consent to this. The cost of construction is not expected to exceed \$4,000.

The wells now being sunk in the marsh west of the Green Bay tracks will be tested and a report made in about ten days. City Engineer Bradish is now in Chicago drawing up preliminary plans for the water system.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Mrs. John Cook of St. Paul, has arrived here to open a ladies' tailoring establishment in the store formerly occupied by Mrs. Lewis on Fifth between State and Main.

The annual encampment of the Wisconsin National guard began today at Camp Douglas. The Second regiment is now in camp.

N. C. Bachelier has just returned from Sheldon, Iowa, where he is erecting a school house, and will be in La Crosse the remainder of this week.

R. F. Weston was awarded the contract for laying water extensions on the several streets designated by the common council. Thomas Woolley was the only other bidder.

Swift and Company of Chicago, have erected a building on lower Jay street near the Burlington tracks which will be used for office purposes and for a storehouse. Two carloads of meat will be handled weekly instead of one as has heretofore been the case.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The firm of Drake and Woolley of this city, have secured the contract for the manufacture of the lumber to be used on the new Masonic building at Sparta.

The Sawyer and Auslin and La Crosse Lumber company mills were forced to shut down last night on account of inability to obtain logs. Thousands of logs are lying near the mill but they are all aground because of low water.

A North La Crosse Tennis club was organized last night with eleven charter members. Next week the club will begin practice on a lot situated at the east end of St. Cloud street.

Troy

BY DR. WILLIAM E. TARTON



HERE was in the olden time a lady who departed from the home that had been hers and moved to Troy. Her name was Helen. We are told about her by a gentleman named Homer. Her husband followed her, and there was a good deal of trouble about the matter. Helen was the girl who raised the row. Hers was the face that launched a thousand ships. And burned the temples, towers of Ilium.

There was another lady who lived in Troy, not quite so long ago, and so far as I am aware, her name is not known. She was the lady who discovered that if a man has good luck, he may be able to keep a shirt clean longer than a collar.

Perhaps she also discovered that if misfortune overtakes him, and the shirt is not clean, he has more opportunities of concealing the fact than are

possible in the case of the collar. The department of commerce of the United States government has undertaken to find out how a great industry began, and when it had its origin. The government informs us that the collar business started in 1825. That may not have been the year that the lady made the discovery, but that was the year in which she got down to listen to her and consent to making the collar a separate garment. That was the way it was with Dr. Mary Walker. But she had to wear man's attire to find how convenient and how stupid it was for men were wearing collar-bottoms that dug into the back of their necks, and she sewed a little flap inside the collar button hole of the garment she wore, and patented it, and all of us men are grateful to her.

But this unknown woman of Troy is not known to have worn the collars she invented. She bestowed them as a great and undeserved boon upon male humanity. We pay nearly \$20,000,000 a year in appreciation of her service. She may not have been as beautiful as Helen, but she and Helen have this in common—each of them put Troy on the map.

OUT OF THE NIGHT A THRUSH

By A. W. PEACH

The mellow lights of his lamps thrust back the dusk with insistent golden fingers. Warner sent the powerful car sliding along the river road toward his country place. His mind was at peace with the world; he knew that his housekeeper had waiting for him a pleasant lunch, and he was leaving behind the din and confusion in which he spent his city business days.

Around a curve the great car swept and the golden lights swung a bit aside.

With a sudden start and shock Warner saw something white rise and fall like a ghost in the side of the road. It looked like something human and at the same time more like a ghost. Indecision was fatal for the car did not waver with its master's hesitation.

He braked with quick impulse. Warner felt the car slide on locked wheels along the damp road. He looked back, but dusk and silence was behind him.

He hesitated. "There's something spooky here or I'm a nut myself. I didn't hit any one, but I saw something in white fall—or I was dreaming," he muttered to himself.

He took the daylight from its case and walked back along the road. He came farther than he intended, and his eye caught a glimpse of something white. A child's shock going through him, he hurried on the daylight point, held in his bright gaze the figure of a girl.

With a cry, Warner stopped; the cry took the force of astounded words. "A girl—and in her nightgown!"

Controlling himself with an effort, he turned back and saw the girl standing with a robe. He gathered the warm, soft form into the robe, and taking the slim burden in his arms, went swiftly toward his house.

Placing her in the deep cushion of the front and supporting her, he sent the car whirling down the road. Her head lay warm and fragrant against his own. Never in all his life had he had a fairer head than this.

Down the road, up the long slope that was the hill, he went without pause. He swung up the roadway to his house, and the horn snarled steadily as he made his way up the night. At the entrance light gleamed. Some one had guessed something was wrong.

The white, wavy hair of his housekeeper showed in the light. In answer to her anxious query, he said swiftly, "I've a girl here—may have hit her."

Into one of the guest rooms he carried her, and then took to the telephone, and soon the word was being passed back the cool voice of his personal physician saying he would be there as fast as he could bring him.

Warner rushed upstairs to find that motherly hands working with assurance had done their duty. The girl lay still and white in the bed, her brown hair gathered over her face, but beautiful face—unconscious still.

Suddenly, as the housekeeper bathed her white forehead, the girl's eyes opened, dark and luminous. Fear came into them—sharp and shining. "Let me go—don't keep me! I'm afraid!"

"We will keep you here," Warner said, and in kind hands. "You are safe and in kind hands."

Her eyes followed him, and she sank back under his quiet tones. She watched him, and when he went to the door, she called him back. "I want to see you."

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Abe Martin



There's too many people tryin' to help 'emselves by becomin' a 'somethin' instead o' workin' at somethin'. Next 'takin' a peach stain out of a white vest, 't'hardest thing is 't' acc' surprised an' pleased when somebody you tried 't' pass stops you.

dark with tears, she answered him as simply in her quiet mountain speech. "I love you—don't know that, but I think of me—of what I am! This beautiful home—and me!"

His heart was thumping—what if he lost her? "Listen, my little mountain thrush; we can teach you all, and the years are long. I want you here with me! Don't go away! Two months have gone. Won't you stay for two years?"

The long dark lashes drooped over her eyes for a moment, she added, and lifted her lips, with shy wonder, question and hesitation, but in the end willingly and bravely to his first kiss.

Yes, Yes, Baldy!

"You've heard that a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush?"

Yes; and a hair on the head is worth two on the brush."

SPORTS HOBBIES HUMOR

THE BOYS AND GIRLS NEWSPAPER

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ONE REEL YARNS

THE "ORNERY EIGHT" AND A "NICE BOY"

Perceval Pendleton was a "nice boy." We quote his mother. As for what the other fellows thought, why ask any fellow if just his name wasn't enough to queer him. Besides, he wore goggles and goggles and dropped his r's. Of course Perceval had eye trouble which accounted for the glasses and he really couldn't help the r's or rather lack of r's. But these facts made no difference to the fellows—he should have known better, that's all. Not one of the "Ornerly Eight" (as they proudly called themselves) had eye trouble or dropped his r's.

So Perceval was received as follows by the name of Perceval usually are. What troubled the "Ornerly Eight" was that they could not think of any thing "Ornerly" enough to do to him. Even Snub Blake, whose fertile brain had produced the brilliant idea of putting fish worms in Mammie Jones' lunch box, was stumped.

But finally, after Perceval had been there a week Snub had an idea. "Of course it ain't had enough," he explained, "but it'll do as a starter. Later on we can take him out to Muddy Pool and duck him."

Snub's idea was to put coal-oil in Perceval's ice cream at the church picnic. Snub brought his mother's perfume bottle full of coal-oil.

"Gee, you can't put all that in, he'll smell it," warned Sidney. "Just put in a little. It'll be bad enough. Sidney spoke from experience. The saying is 'Say that's so,' responded Snub as he cautiously sprinkled a few drops over Perceval's ice cream.

"Then they went over under the tree, where Perceval was waiting. "Let's see who can take the biggest bite out of his cream," suggested Snub.

Perceval Enters the Sport So Perceval heaped up his spoon with the rest of them. Every one took the biggest bite possible and then all looked expectantly at Perceval, but nothing happened. He calmly took another bite, a smaller one. The fellows gasped.

"Well, he's a sport any way," thought Sidney. But Snub was curious.

"Say, Perce, how's your ice cream?" he asked cautiously. "It seems—I thought—maybe," he stopped afraid he would give it away.

"Thank you, it's very good," replied Perceval. "I'm sorry but I have such a bad cold that I can't taste the delicious flavor."

Tomorrow: "The Stolen Boat."

Talks by La Crosse Shriners

No. 12

W. F. HURTGEN,

Chairman Publicity Committee.



HOLY COW! but this publicity of Shriners is some game. However, I really think I can make more noise than almost anyone else and that I am the best publicity man that the La Crosse Shrine club could have picked out, and my main reason for believing this is that Ben Keeler says so.

"We are sure getting by in fine shape and every Noble from the banks of Lake Michigan to the Root river knows about our blowout—and then some."

"We want you all to turn in and try to get the Tripoli spirit of good fellowship and send our guests home feeling that they are glad they came to La Crosse."

Some Venerable Newspapers According to the list of the world's newspapers, the most venerable of all the venerable newspapers is already 1305 years old and still making its appearance regularly. The Pekin Gazette, containing official decrees and official versions of the news has appeared regularly since the days of the Tang dynasty in the year 618.

In the Western civilization newspapers became possible only after the middle of the fifteenth century, when printing from blocks was invented and it first became possible to produce many copies of lettered matter at a reasonable cost.

It was not until 1665, however, according to an English history of printing, that the Oxford Gazette (the original London Gazette) made its appearance as the first newspaper in the precise sense of the word; that is,

as a flat paper of news rather than a pamphlet or a bound book. In the United States the oldest newspaper which is still in existence, is already 165 years old. It is the New Hampshire Gazette, of Portsmouth, N. H., established in 1756.

Most of the space in the Colonial newspapers at first was devoted to foreign affairs. Local matters were considered to be too well known to be worthy of mention.

Parasites of Canaries Canary birds are often covered with vermin. They may be relieved of them by placing a clean white cloth over their cage at night. In the morning the cloth will be covered with minute red spots, so small that they can hardly be seen with the naked eye. These are the parasites, a source of great annoyance to the birds.

EMERSON Like many great men, Emerson lived in a world of his own, a world of dreams and visions. As a result, he was often absent-minded. The following story is told of him.

One very hot day Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes was standing on the street corner in Boston, mopping his brow. He was holding his hat up to shade his face from the sun.

Emerson came along the street and seeing an old man with his hat stretched out thus in front of him, he dropped a quarter in the hat and walked on down the street, never recognizing the great poet, his friend.

WILLIAM PENN One day William Penn, the great founder of Pennsylvania was trying to urge a man that he knew to stop drinking.

"Do you know an easy way to do it?" demanded Penn. "It is just as easy as to open thy hand, friend."

"Prove that to me," said the man, and I will promise you that I will give it up."

"Well, my friend, when ever thee finds a glass of liquor in thy hand, open thy hand before the glass touches thy lips and thee shall never drink to excess again."

The man was so impressed by the great Quaker's easy remedy that he followed his good advice and reformed.

Tomorrow: Roosevelt A Considerate Grandfather "Well, Jimmy," said his employer, "I don't see how you are going to get out to see any ball games this season; your grandmother died four times last summer."

"Oh, yes, I can, sir," replied Jimmy. "Grandpa has married again, although it is very much against the wishes of the family."

What Shall I Write About? What is the funniest story that you ever heard? Tell us about it, so we can laugh too.

Sounds All Right Jimmy was asked to write the first verse of the "Psalm of Life" which he had committed. This is the result.

Liza Grape was all right mindus. Weakened Liza Rhine. Andy Parting, Lee B. Hindeus. Footbri Johnny Sands a time.

URGE DIVORCE OF SCHOOL HEADS AND CITY GOVERNMENTS

Nation-wide Investigation Shows that Politics is Bad Influence

WOULD HAVE SCHOOLS BUDGET INDEPENDENT

Best Educational Result Where School Board is "Free"

NEW YORK.—Two prime causes of the present "deplorable" condition of American public schools are red tape and the handicapping of boards of education by politicians, according to a survey of public school boards and their receipts and expenditures, directed by the national committee for Chamber of Commerce co-operation with the public schools and the American city bureau made public here.

The survey, which covered conditions in 377 cities, showed, it was said, that in 37 per cent of cases where boards of education were "independent" or free from political manipulation or control, that the most efficient administrative and educational results are obtained.

Budget Should be Free

"The best interests of the public schools," says the report, "cannot be served in a city where the budget of the board of education may be reduced and remodelled by city officials who have not made a definite study of the needs of the schools."

Boards which are really a sub-division of the municipal government and whose budget may be changed by municipal authorities, are classified as "dependent" and undesirable from the standpoint of the public good.

It is thus pointed out that in the case of cities in New Jersey, the budget must be passed upon by a special board of school estimate; in Oklahoma cities the school trustees are dependent upon an ex-cise board; in Ohio cities, school budgets may be reduced by a special county commission; in New England, school budgets must be submitted direct to a town meeting and in many western cities the budget is determined by some county authority.

The survey shows that the school receipts in the 377 cities for the past fiscal year were \$352,200,000 and that the expenditures of these same cities during this period were about \$2,000,000 less than income. The funds are from five sources and are supplied in the following proportions: From the states, 11.6 per cent; the federal government, 0.3 per cent; the country, 5.7 per cent; local taxes, 65.4 per cent; non-revenue or miscellaneous sources, including income from sale of bonds or short-term loans, 17.0 per cent. The survey shows that of all cities reporting, 70 per cent do not receive a dollar from the federal government. Teachers' salaries aggregated \$180,000,000 or 51 per cent of the total of the current expenses of the schools.

Big Sum for Buildings

The relation of capital outlay, aggregating \$51,737,554, to the total expenditures, showed that nearly 85 per cent was utilized on sites and new buildings. A total of \$1,341,000 was expended for medical inspection and dental and nurse service in the 377 cities named. The part of the total expenditure spent for the alteration and equipment of old buildings was only 1.8 per cent. Commenting on this the committee said:

"The smallness of this amount is of particular interest in connection with the findings of this committee in their report on school housing conditions in American cities. This report shows that a large percentage of the children in the public schools are continually menaced by the unsanitary conditions and fire hazards in many old school buildings now in use. In eastern cities the conditions are particularly bad."

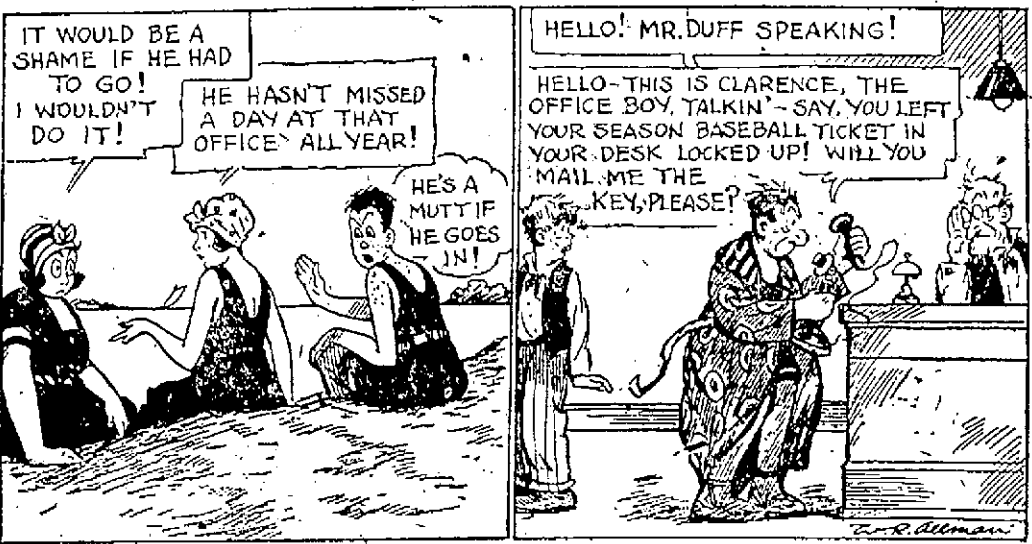
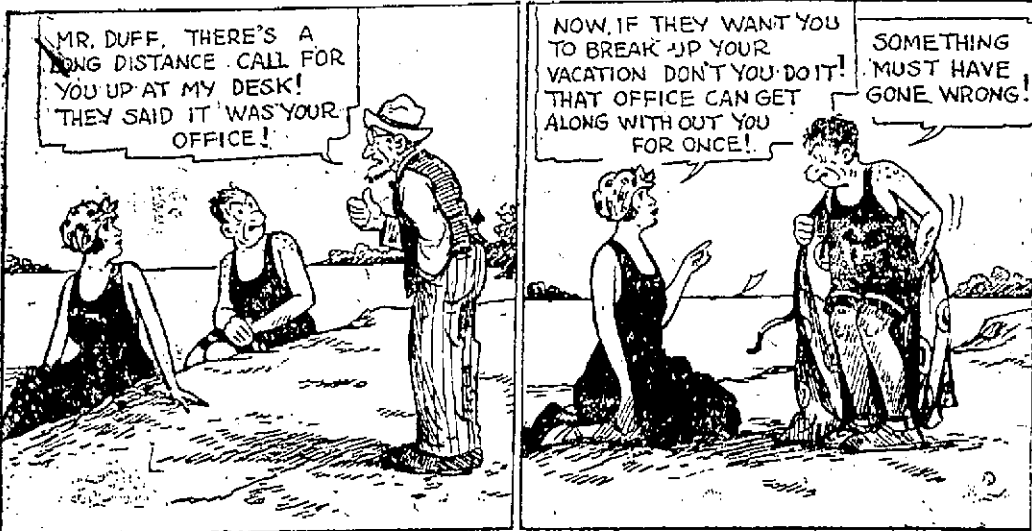
An intermediate class of school boards, designated as "special," which are neither dependent nor independent, are also discussed in this report and held to be contrary to the best educational policy.

The basis for the committee's survey was an inquiry sent to the superintendents of schools in cities with

THE DUFFS

TOM GETS AN IMPORTANT CALL—

BY ALLMAN



FIVE MILLION ACRES OF CANADIAN LAND GIVEN TO VETERANS

Thousands of ex-Soldiers Started on Farms and Given Training and Financial Aid

OTTAWA, Ont.—If Canada's soldier-farmers were to pool their holdings they would have one giant farm of 5,000,000 acres, dotted with grain fields, cattle, hogs, patches of fruit trees, silos and many sturdy houses and farm buildings.

Population of this one big fictitious farm, according to a report on the work of the Soldier Settlement Board, would be more than 126,000, estimating an average family of five to each settler.

The actual number of ex-service men who have been placed on land through government aid is 25,443. Short courses have been held in idle months and all phases of mixed farming, scientific dairying and purebred cattle raising given intensive study

according to the report. Experts have been sent into many districts to provide continuous supervision.

As a result of the aid, financial and educational, a very high percentage of the men are becoming successful farmers, the report says.

WHEN A MATCH IS NOT A MATCH

When a movie actor lights a cigarette the glow lights up his features, showing even the expression in his eyes. Anyone used to a camera marvels at the fact that the tiny flame of a match could show so well on the sensitive film. If you "snap" a man striking a match at night you get a very smudgy picture.

As a matter of fact, if a movie actor struck an ordinary match it would scarcely show on the screen. Therefore various ingenious devices are used to increase the feeble illumination. Similarly, cinema lamps and candles are lights very much more powerful than we use in our bedrooms.

The chief electrician of a large film studio has invented a wonderful movie actor's "match." It is a tiny electric lamp, the smallest ever used in a studio—but it has one thousand candle-power. This baby

are took five years to perfect, and it is made in five varieties, of which the "match" is the smallest.

It is four and a half inches long and seven-eighths of an inch wide. The actor conceals it in the palm of his hand while the connecting wires extend up his sleeve.

When a burglar enters to rob the safe, the "torch" he uses is a baby's lamp, powerful enough to serve as a beam for a small light-house.

Special Fish Laws

Indians of the state of Washington have special fish laws, made by treaty, which give them the right to spear fish which white men may only take with hook and line.

The shortest reign of an English monarch was that of Lady Jane Grey in 1553.

France enforces an eight-hour day on its ships.

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SLAVS AND SERBS DRAWING CLOSER

Powers working to unite Two Slav Nations as Check Upon The Greeks

SOFIA.—Bulgaria and Yugoslavia are moving slowly toward reconciliation. The opposition which the Greek policy meets in certain great and small powers has somewhat facilitated this drift.

Mutual desire for a free outlet to the Aegean Sea draws irresistibly the two Slav neighbors to Saloniki and Kavala.

Taking advantage of the difficulties which are actually surrounding the Greeks, some of the powers are busy at work in Belgrade and Sofia to bring as soon as possible the two countries together.

Czechoslovakia, in her attempt to reestablish a Slav bloc which would strengthen her Orient policy, uses all her influence with the Serbs to overcome the resistance and the animosity of the Serbian Nationalists.

The French representatives in Sofia are also very active for this reconciliation which they wish to place under the patronage of France. They favor here the idea of a personal union of Bulgaria with Serbia for it

would facilitate the creation of a Slav bloc to counterbalance, up to a certain extent, English influence in the Near East. At present the French are the closest advisers of the Sofia government.

War Affects Journalism

At the beginning of the war there were 6250 professional journals published in Germany. Of these 1900 suspended publication during the war, 30 of them permanently. But since 1919 the number has been gradually increasing. Today it totals 6300, or 150 more than there were in 1914.

Barberry Bushes Dug Up

More than 2,000,000 barberry bushes were dug up in America last year in the fight against black stem wheat rust.

Nine states have passed bonus legislation for former soldiers. The electrical furnace was invented in 1879.

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Just put those weary, shoe-crinkled, aching, burning feet into a Tiz bath. Tiz is grand, glorious for tortured feet. It draws the swelling and poisonous exudations right out. Stops the pain of corns. Ends torture and puts your feet into perfect condition.

Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never hurt or get sore and swollen. Think of it, no more foot misery—and you will wear smaller shoes. Get a box of Tiz at any drug store and get instant relief for a few cents.



THE FELBER-ABLETT "AT HOME" IS MOST DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

IN HONOR of Mrs. Henry Churchill of Miami, Fla., Mrs. Charles J. Felber and Mrs. John J. Ablett were charming hostesses today at a delightful "at home" at the residence of the former, 1408 King street. The rooms were daintily and attractively dressed in the most beautiful of the season's variety of flowers which were seen in tasteful arrangement. The receiving hours were from three to six, when about one hundred guests were entertained.

MISS FRANCES CLARK, who has been attending Lawrence college, is in camp with some student friends at Sunset Point, and will later be the guest of Miss Elizabeth Withersbee, Miss Frances Dixon and other friends in town before her return to take up her studies at Appleton.

MISS LARK LAPHAM, who spent the past three months at Seattle, Wash., the guest of Mrs. Thornley, arrived Thursday and will be located for three or four weeks at 213 South Ninth street. Prior to her going west Miss Lapham has been in Florida the past year.

A DAINLY pretty afternoon tea was given today by Miss Jane Baldwin at her home, Glen Cameron, in Elmer's Coulee, in compliment to her guests, Miss Emily Mead of Wisconsin Rapids. It was most informal and delightful.

MISS CORINE TAYLOR of Chicago, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. H. Wesson, 220 South Nineteenth street, was guest of honor on Thursday at a small afternoon coffee.

MRS. L. P. HANSEN and daughter Gladys of Minneapolis are guests at the home of Mrs. P. A. Puger, 1823 Wood street.

MR. AND MRS. T. M. Iden and Mrs. Mary Calkins of Anna Arbor, Mich., are expected guests on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Iden, 327 South Sixteenth street.

MR. H. J. BRITTING, 920 South Seventh street, was surprised by a number of friends in compliment to his birthday. Late in the evening a dainty lunch was served from prettily dressed tables. Those present were Messrs. and Mrs. Carl Brenner, William Pitz, Anton Ehrsam, Michael Hottelnecker, Misses Irene O'Neill, Irene Pitz, Genevieve Valiquette of St. Paul, Beatrice and Alma Britting, Mr. Arthur Ehrsam, Bobbie Brenner and Harold Britting.

MRS. C. W. SMITH has gone to Bry City, Mich., to attend the marriage of her son, Russell S. Pope, to Miss Emily Mosher.

MRS. W. C. WILL, Jr., 619 Island street, entertained at a six o'clock dinner Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Jack Miami and daughter Mildred of Minneapolis, who are visiting friends in town. Places were laid for ten.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL and World Wide Guild of the First Baptist church will hold a food sale at Doerflinger's store Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

MRS. WILLIAM BLANKLEY was surprised Monday afternoon by a group of friends and relatives at her home, 1027 Rose street, in honor of her birthday anniversary. The afternoon was enjoyably spent and the hostess was presented with a number of handsome gifts and a purse of money in token of the occasion.

MR. AND MRS. George Mead, daughter Emily and sons Stanton and Walter, motored from their home at Wisconsin Rapids and were guests the fore part of the week of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cameron in Elmer's Coulee. Mr. and Mrs. Mead and sons have returned home while Miss Mead is spending the week as the guest of Miss Jane Baldwin.

MISS ANNA Worcella and Mr. Walter Worcella motored from Chicago and are guests of their aunt, Mrs. R. A. Fisher.

MRS. CHARLES Bruckert, 1119 South Eleventh street, entertained at dinner on Thursday in honor of Mrs. Edwin Qualey of Solway, Minn.

MR. AND MRS. Fred Gernert of Louisville, Ky., who are summering at Silverdale cottage near Sparta, have been guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Steadwell, returning at Silverdale Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Steadwell will spend the week-end at Silverdale, Mr. and Mrs. George Stauffer of Louisville, who shared the Gernert cottage for several weeks have returned to their home.

AT A QUARTER of four Friday morning a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Coeman, 114 South Fifteenth street, at St. Ann's Hospital.

MISS HELEN Kramer of St. Paul is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. G. Perkins.

MISS ANNE Doyle of Baltimore is the guest for a few days of Mrs. Michael Hayes, Miss Doyle, who is in the National Public Health service.

COMING EVENTS

(These dates are taken. Before deciding upon dates confer with Chamber of Commerce, Phone 30, and avoid conflict.)
Aug. 10—Afternoon excursion—Steamer Washington—By Woman's Union of First Congregational church.
Oct. 10—Normal Lecture Course—First Concert—Richard Martin, Tenor.
Nov. 1—Normal Lecture Course—Vera Poppe, cellist, and Edna Vez Haar, contralto.
Nov. 4—Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra—Eugene Xyaye, Conductor—Music Study club—La Crosse Theater.
Dec. 16—Charles Norman Granville, Baritone—Edna Gunnar Peterson, Thompson, pianist—Music Study Club—La Crosse Theater.
Feb. 13—Joint Recital—Harold Bauer, Pianist—Pablo Casals, cellist—Music Study Club—La Crosse Theater.

is returning from the state of Washington, where she was sent by the government to attend a state tubercular convention. Last night Miss Doyle gave a most forceful and interesting address before a special meeting of the Catholic Women's League. It is regretted that owing to the lateness of the hour when it became known that Miss Doyle would speak, it was impossible to invite other organizations of the city to be present.

MRS. W. C. Moss has returned from a two weeks' visit with her husband at Rochester, Minn.

City Briefs

Dance, Yeomen Hall Sat. Aug. 6. Lou's Jazz Boys.

Order Dyke's Best Flour always right.

Attend the clean up sale at the Krause Clothing Co.

Dr. H. H. Haucock, Dr. R. E. Horshak, Dentists, 5th and Main Sts.

Miss Eva Reindinger left for her home in Eau Claire after spending a week at the home of Esther and Marie Zemlo, 709 Charles street.

Tickets for Shriners Big Show Aug. 12th on sale at Hebbards.

Moonlight Excursion, Wednesday night, August 10th, 8:15 City Time.

Dr. Frank J. Hoeschler, Dentist, 5th and Main street.

Dance at Shubert Hall Sat. Aug. 6th. Gray's Kalamazoo.

Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Adler and daughter Harriet motored to Madison last week as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leithold.

Mrs. Adler was formerly Mildred Leithold of this city.

Attend the clean up sale at the Krause Clothing Co.

Rubber Stamps of all kinds, The Inland Printing Co.

Your plumbing troubles promptly attended to, W. F. Schram, Phone 46.

Let's go to the Moonlight Excursion, Wednesday night, 8:15, August 10th.

John F. Doherty has returned from a business trip to Baraboo.

Mack's Orchestra, Dance Hokah, tonight.

Bankrupt Sale of Electrical fixtures, Appliances, Plumbing material and Tools at Thill-Manning-Wheeler Co's.

Take her to the Moonlight Excursion, Wednesday night, 8:15, August 10th.

Lugo J. Ackerman, circuit court reporter, left Friday morning on a motor trip to Milwaukee. He will return in a short time with his family.

Baggage transferred by Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179 before 6 p. m.

20 percent off on all electric fixtures during August. Linker Electric Co. Phone 398.

The trial of E. N. Miller, charged by Frank Kleiwerz with using abusive language toward him, was called in county court late Friday afternoon.

FIVE MILLION REPARATION PAYMENT MADE BY BERLIN THROUGH BANKS IN N. Y.

NEW YORK.—Germany Thursday paid another sum out of her balances in New York on her debt to the allies for reparations. The sum paid amounted to approximately \$5,000,000, and it was paid over by the four institutions which hold balances here for the account of the Reichsbank to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York to the credit of the Bank of England.

No formal announcement of any sort accompanied the payment, and in some of the institutions which have heretofore made the payments on account of reparations, it was said that no information would be given out.

It was established, however, that each of the four banks received orders to make payments of various sizes and that the total amounted to \$5,000,000.

One of the bankers said his orders had been two separate ones, by cable, for \$1,000,000 each, and that his bank's check had been sent to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York before its closing hour. The three others were called on by the Reichsbank for \$1,000,000 each, it was said.

The payment made Thursday to the account of the Bank of England is in anticipation of a reparations payment of \$200,000,000 due Aug. 31, which already has been considerably reduced by advance payment.

JUDGE, SHERIFF IN GRAFT CASE



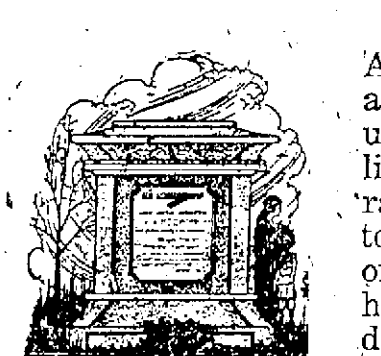
Judge Ernest Smith, sitting in Springfield, Ill., ruled that Governor Len Small of Illinois, indicted on charges of embezzlement and conspiracy to misappropriate state funds, was subject to arrest.



SHERIFF R. H. MESTER It became the duty of Sheriff R. H. Mester of Sangamon county, Ill., to arrest Governor Len Small of Illinois, when Small was indicted on charges of embezzlement and conspiracy to misappropriate state funds.

Crop insurance has been issued for only about two seasons.

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LANDIS ISSUES HIS LABOR TENETS

Chicago Judge Lays Down Principles For Ending Building Trades Disputes

CHICAGO, Ill.—Federal Judge Kenneth Mountain Landis has laid down a set of business principles for the building construction industry. His tenets are expected to form a country-wide basis for settling building trades wage disputes.

After showing crookedness out of harness, the jurist was called upon to adjust the notoriously evil building trades situation in Chicago.

No seized the opportunity to take graft out of home building—a task that three federal judges, a special county grand jury, and the Building commission had long labored at and without success.

And now it looks as though his "common sense arbitration" is about to meet with favor.

Here are the principles which Judge Landis drew up and insisted must underlie any and all working agreements between the Chicago Building Trades council and the two employers' associations:

ARTICLE 1
Monopolistic elements of associations or unions are intolerable unless:

(1) The public is served more economically with them than without them.

(2) Unless anyone qualified may join them without hindrance or discrimination.

(3) Unless they serve any one on demand without discrimination.

(4) Unless sufficient apprentices be taught to supply enough skilled managers and workers.

(5) Unless working rules and conditions eliminate waste of time, effort and material; increase quality and quantity of product; encourage improved methods, materials and appliances; produce increased skill and contentment of the workers; and help to preserve peace in the community.

ARTICLE 2
Other things being equal, trades should have higher wages or wages above the average.

(1) If the work is more hazardous.

(2) If greater skill is required.

(3) If a longer term of apprenticeship is required to become proficient.

(4) If the work is intermittent or unsteady due to weather or seasonal demand.

ARTICLE 3
Other things being equal, trades

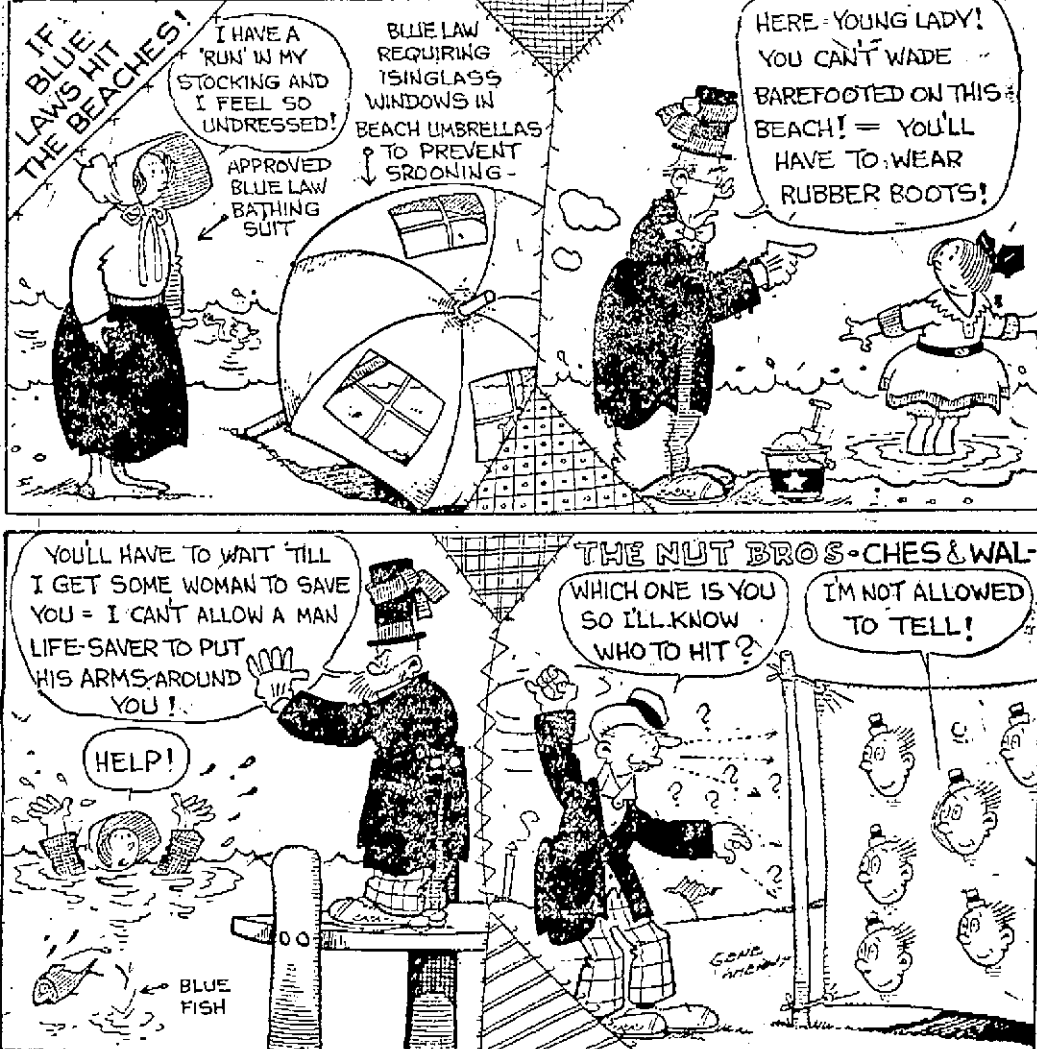
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having rules or conditions that produce or permit waste should have a lower wage, or a wage lower than the average rate.

(1) Rules that limit or curtail in any way the amount of work per man consistent with reasonable comfort and well being.

(2) Rules that require ordinary travel to and from the job to be on employers' time, or otherwise waste time paid for.

(3) Rules that require skilled men or high rate men to do work that less skilled or lower rate men could do, or that other trades could do more economically.

(4) Rules that expressly or by inference interfere with the manager or foreman in the dispatch of the work or the use of new and improved methods, materials, or appliances.

(5) Rules that require work to be done by hand that could be better or more economically done by machinery, tools, or other improved appliances.

(6) Rules that require work to be done on the building that could be

better or more economically done in the shop.

(7) Rules requiring excessive rates for overtime or overtime waits for shift work.

Ready to Help
"Oh doctor, I am suffering so much I want to die!"
"You did perfectly right to call me."—The American Legion Weekly.

Both to Blame
"I think," said Dr. Smith, "that bad cooks supply us with half our patients." "That's a fact," said old Dr. Brown. "And good cooks supply us with the other 50 per cent."—Journal of the American Medical Association.

Hopeful Outlook
"Well," said the judge, "what's your argument this time? Aren't you ever going to get over the habit of beating your wife?"
"Yes, judge, I'm beginning to have hopes. She don't look as though she could pull through many more of 'em."

A man will chase a golf ball all over the links because it's too hot to go to church.

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FOR SATURDAY



One lot of SILK DRESSES in taffeta, tricot and charmeuse, values up to \$97.50, for

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SMOCKS, made of voile and linen, former values \$4.00, for

\$1.00

One lot of GINGHAM DRESSES, values up to \$9.00, for

\$2.50

One lot of WASH WAISTS, values up to \$5.00, for

\$1.00

One lot WASH SKIRTS, values up to \$7.50, for

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ALL WASH DRESSES in Organdie, Voile, Swiss and Gingham at

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TIGHTENING UP EARLIER
WOULD HAVE BEEN BETTER

Lack of Restriction Would Have
Meant Disaster Like Cuban

WASHINGTON.—The ebb and flow of monetary credits through the federal reserve system was further described Friday before a congressional commission by Governor Harding of the reserve board.

"We have twelve reservoirs of money in the reserve banks," he said, "and we can put a pipe line from one to another of them when needs become too great for local money supply, always remembering that the loans come in and are secured by local member banks."

Hard to Enforce Policy

"The federal reserve board can outline a credit policy but it is very difficult to enforce it because of the member bank proposition. There are 50,000 of them and they take the responsibility in the first instance."

"Some of them hold unused lending power, while others in credit stringency, go into the federal reserve bank and get widely, even dangerously extended. That was why we had to establish the progressive rate, to penalize the heaviest borrowers but we hope we will never have to put progressive rates in effect again."

There is a prevailing impression that the break in general prices during 1920 was due to the restriction of credit and that the reserve board was responsible for the restriction. Representative Mills, republican, New York said.

"There is nothing in it," Governor Harding replied. "Our efforts were devoted in 1920 to preventing a collapse of our banking system."

"It is not our duty to enhance or reduce prices, but credit is based on prices, and in 1920 we had most significant signs that a break was coming."

Smash Without Restriction

"What do you think would have happened if you had not adopted a restriction policy?" asked Senator Lenroot republican, Wisconsin.

"You can tell by what happened in Cuba," Governor Harding replied. "There would have come collapse aggravated by banking insolvency."

"Suppose the board had restricted earlier," Senator Lenroot said. "Would not the rise in prices have been lessened?"

"That's probable," Governor Harding said. "I'll be frank with you. Had interest rates been put up earlier the runaway movement of prices and speculation might have been checked. And it might have been better."

ACQUITTED SOX TO FIND NO HAVEN IN THE MINOR LEAGUES

AUBURN, N. Y.—The White Sox players involved in the baseball scandal in Chicago will not be permitted to join minor league clubs. J. H. Farrell, chairman of the National Board of the National association, said today.

"The jury tells us that crookedness in sports is not a crime in Cook county, Illinois. In spite of the confession of guilt," he said. "The jury should now be placed on trial for libeling the moral atmosphere of the people of Cook county, Illinois. The players will not be permitted to join minor league clubs."

MADISONIAN HEADS CLEANERS

FOND DU LAC, Wis.—At the closing session of the Wisconsin State Association of Dyers and Cleaners here, W. L. Rudeout, Madison, was elected president and Madison was named as the 1922 convention city. Other officers and directors elected are: Vice president, J. J. Richmond, Oshkosh; secretary-treasurer, Samuel Brosnau, Milwaukee; directors, J. Gould, Green Bay; J. A. Brockhaus, Janesville; Arthur L. Smith, Sheboygan; Leo J. Korner, Fond du Lac.

BOY BANDITS ARRESTED

WATSAU, Wis.—Joseph Schwartz, William Thass, both 17 years of age, and Walter Gruno, 16, giving their homes as Sheboygan, were arrested here, after they are alleged to have committed a series of robberies in the villages of Bellevue, Killy and Eland. When arrested, three revolvers, two loaded, were found. The boys were remanded to jail in default of \$1,000 bail.

MAY LIBEL RUM SHIP

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Libel proceedings in New York to obtain forfeiture of the British schooner Henry L. Marshall, seized as a liquor smuggler, are contemplated by the department of justice, Acting Attorney General Goff announced.

BOLT FROM CLEAR SKY KILLS TWO AND FOUR MULE TEAM

TALLAHASSEE, Fla.—While riding a mule of a team hauling timber, Laverne Ilyne, 15-year-old white boy was killed by a bolt of lightning which came from an apparently clear sky. Two negroes and a dog seeking relief from the heat under a tree nearby were hit by the same bolt and one negro and the dog killed, while the other was knocked unconscious. All four of the mules were killed.

THE ORPHANS AND THEIR HERO



The orphans of St. Paul's Asylum, Pittsburgh, are shown with Babe Ruth, who visited them recently. He "couldn't even smell" the curves of an orphan pitcher, but he slammed the old apple all over the lot when a grown-up pitcher faced him. That sure tickled the youngsters. Babe was raised in a boys' school.

RIVAL RELIGIONISTS BURN SIGNS IN ZION DENOUNGING RIVALS

"Religious Burns", "Thugs", "Traitors" and "Porch-Climbers" Some of the Names

ZION, Ill.—The city of Zion, seeking to hold itself sacred to Zionists recently erected a number of billboards about the city, particularly in front of opposition churches. Thursday night a party of men said to belong to the opposition, kept the fire department busy racing from one billboard to another, putting out fires which the party started.

The supports of the boards, most of which are ten by twenty feet in size, were wrapped in oil soaked rags and set on fire simultaneously. One in front of a mission called the "Goat House" by Wilbur Glenn Voliva, head of the Zion church, was completely burned down.

Another typical sign board partially destroyed, read:

"This city was established by Zion people and for Zion people only. This is the exclusive headquarters of the Christian Catholic Apostolic church in Zion."

"No gentleman, not to mention a Christian, would break into a church edifice and attempt to hold meetings or establish a counter organization. Those who do are nothing more or less than religious bums, tramps and vagabonds with less honor than a gang of highway robbers and thugs. Get out of this community if you have a drop of honest blood, and go and establish a settlement of your own. Persons coming in here to hold meetings at the invitation of traitors, porch-climbers, election thieves and tally-sheet mutilators need not expect any courtesy from Zion."

"An ecclesiastical goat-house or garbage dump has no right within this settlement. The war is on red hot and will be waged day and night until every traitor goes to his own place."

"WILBUR GLENN VOLIVA."

HE'S \$11 TO THE GOOD

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Orville Bunker, Green Bay, filed a petition in bankruptcy Friday in which he scheduled his liabilities at \$256, his assets at \$560 and his exemption at \$212.

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REDSKINS TO TAKE PART IN MISSOURI STATE CELEBRATION

"Show Me" State to Observe its Hundredth Birthday in August

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Indian tribes from Oklahoma, wearing the picturesque costumes that the aborigines wore before oil was discovered on Indian lands, will take part in Missouri's centennial celebration of statehood, which will be held here August 8 to 22. Two young buffaloes, presented to the state centennial commission, will also take part in the celebration. The Indians and buffaloes will participate in the "Pageant of Missouri," in which outstanding events in the state's history will be colorfully depicted.

The pageant will be presented in an arena 600 feet by 150, and will employ a cast of more than 5,000 persons. It will trace Missouri's history from the time the state was a primeval wilderness down to the present era. Crowning a flight of fifty wide steps will be a row of columns, and a "throne" upon which the "Queen of Missouri" will be seated as part of the pageant.

It is planned to have an exhibition of the first railroad locomotive operated in the state and a replica of the steamboat "Zachary Taylor," said to have been the first steamboat to dock at St. Louis.

National guard troops will patrol the state fair grounds, where the celebration is to be held. A "rent hotel" to accommodate 15,000 visitors is planned, and Sodalia homes will be thrown open. Matrons will be on duty at the railroad station day and night to aid women visitors.

The opening day of the celebration, August 8, has been designated as "Press day," when newspaper men are especially invited to be present. August 9 is to be "Touring day," for former Missourians; August 10 will be the President's day, when President Harding has been invited to be present, and August 11 and 12 are Kansas City and St. Louis days respectively.

President Harding will press a button at his desk in Washington August 8, which will swing open the gates of the fair grounds.

PEORIA BOAT WINS

ON BOARD SURMARINE CHASER NO. 419.—By Wireless Telephone to The Associated Press.—Margaret, Ill., owned by R. H. Daniels of Peoria, Ill., won the first speedboat race before a large gallery of spectators along the Municipal pier in the pageant of progress water carnival Thursday. Miss Quincey, owned by N. A. Peterson of Moline, Ill., was second.

Inserting a lead pencil completely, a circuit and starts in operation a new electric pencil sharpener.

BIG MAILS JOB



One of the most important posts under Postmaster General Hays goes to a woman, Mrs. Mary K. Macarty, who has just been named assistant chief of the United States foreign mails.

GEN. ELECTRIC CUTS WAGES.—A wage reduction affecting 12,000 employees of the General Electric company's plant here was announced Thursday. The cut will vary in amount with the several classes of employees, unskilled workers' wages being reduced most. The announcement followed conferences between the management and a committee of employees at which means to assure continued operation of various departments were discussed.

Agree On Standard Weight

"Because of the absence of any standard in the manufacture of metal bath, there was a short time ago from 125 to 130 different weights of this article on the market. Through the work of the Bureau of Standards, the manufacturers have been brought to an understanding and now there are three weights manufactured which answer all purposes. This saves money and prevents confusion."

A farmer's wife, according to some statisticians, earns \$199 a year.

SAYS MANY TROUT ARE IN THE WRONG BOARDING-HOUSE

Professor Busy Figuring Out Proper Bugs for Streams of Different Species

YELLOWSTONE PARK, Wyo.—Thousands of trout are in the wrong "boarding house," declares Professor R. A. Muttowski, of the University of Idaho, who is here trying to figure out a carefully selected diet for each species.

Certain types of trout should be planted in streams where the bugs and insects are to their liking, he believes. And because they are not so planted there is a waste of thousands of fish each year.

"Trout are particular regarding what they eat," he says. "If we can select the right place for the right fish there will be a marked decrease in the number of trout that die. My work is to determine just where various varieties of trout should be and this is based on what bugs and insects they are fond of."

TOOK OWN ADVICE

BRECKINRIDGE, Mo.—Pat Bradwell, 54, last week declared "The fellows that make moonshine should be shot, and the fellows that drink it should shoot themselves."

Today his charred body awaits burial, following its recovery yesterday from a burned haystack into which he had crawled, then set it on fire and shot himself. He is said to have been drinking.

U. S. Onion Seed Supply

Before the year practically all the Bermuda onion seeds planted in the United States came from the Canary Islands.

Imports From France Increase.—French exports to the United States for January showed a 400 per cent increase over those of January, 1919.

GIRLS! LEMONS BLEACH THE SKIN

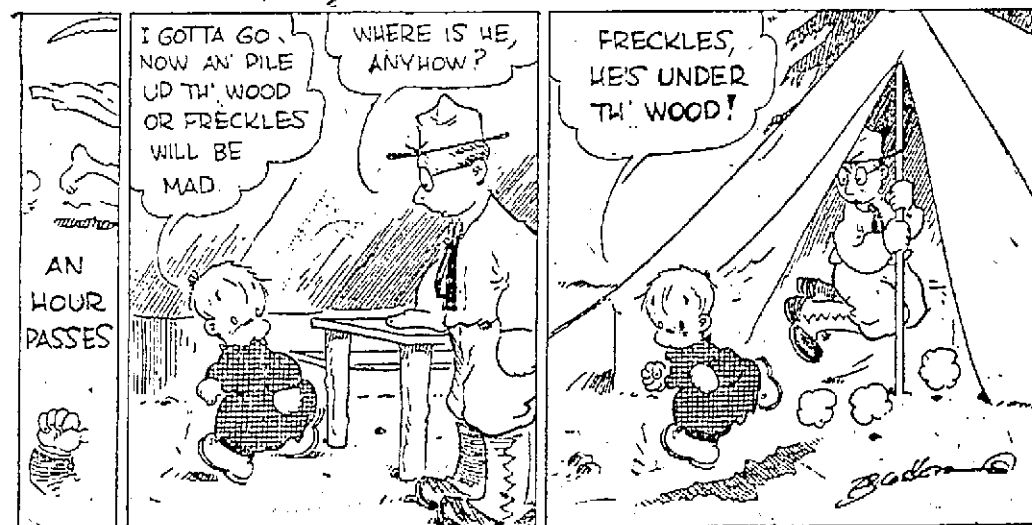
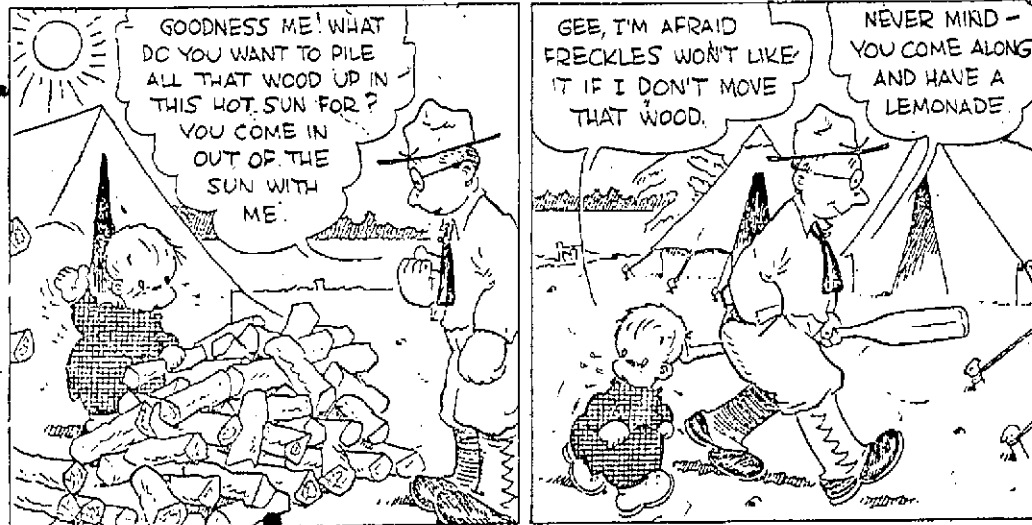
Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug store will supply for a few cents, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of harmless and delicious lemon bleach. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day, then shortly note the beauty and whiteness of your skin.

Famous stage beauties use this lemon lotion to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rosy-white complexion, also as a freckle, sunburn, and tan bleach because it doesn't irritate.

FRECKLES

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I. C. C. CHAIRMAN SAYS THERE IS DANGER OF A NEW COAL SHORTAGE

Advises Public Utilities to Lay in Reserves Because of Short Production

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Possibility of a coal shortage is seen by the Interstate Commerce commission, whose chairman, Edgar E. Clark, is issuing a warning to public utility companies advising them to accumulate their coal reserves now and thereby protect the public as well as themselves.

J. P. Tulliam, president of the Wisconsin Gas and Electrical associations, in making public the letter of Chairman Clark, quotes this extract: "The production and shipment of bituminous coal has been and is disappointingly low. To avoid a repetition of the difficulties of last year which grew out of the general disinclination to provide necessary supplies earlier in the season, the commission has requested me to suggest the accumulation of reasonable reserve supply of coal now, which will help out greatly when the pinch comes."

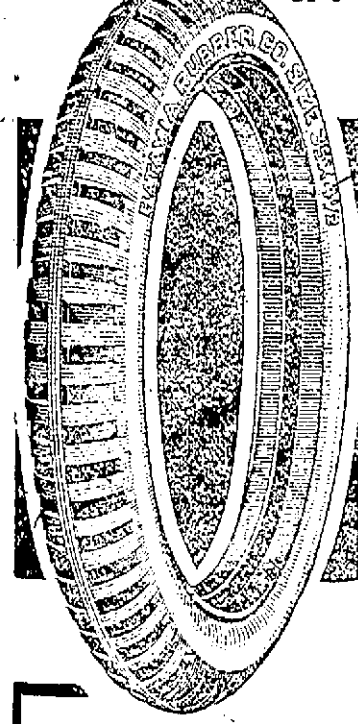
Herbert Hoover, secretary of the department of commerce, also has urged the immediate purchase of coal, saying that if there should be a recovery of business activities in autumn a most serious situation as regards coal movement is possible. He advises public utilities to make provisions to carry them over a critical period.

Airships Take Off On Skis

Two big all-steel airplanes to be used for transporting men and supplies to the Fort Norman oil field during the coming summer have been thoroughly tested at Edmonton, Alberta, and it is found that the machines can take off quite as well on skis as on the wheels.

No child is born short-sighted, but the tendency may be inherited.

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32 x 3 1/2	12.85	34 x 4 1/2	30.65
34 x 3 1/2	18.75	35 x 4 1/2	31.85
31 x 4	16.75	36 x 4 1/2	32.25
32 x 4	17.00	37 x 4 1/2	39.00
33 x 4	17.50	35 x 5	34.45
34 x 4	18.00	37 x 5	36.10

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30x3½	.. 1.95	34x4	.. 3.00	36x4½	.. 4.00
32x3½	.. 2.20	32x4½	.. 3.80	33x5	.. 4.70
31x4	.. 2.65	33x4½	.. 3.85	35x5	.. 4.80
32x4	.. 2.70	34x4½	.. 3.90	37x5	.. 5.00

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NOTE—By paying a small deposit on your Fur Coat now, you can have same stored FREE, and continue paying on same every week or month, and by so doing when winter arrives your coat will be paid for.

FIND ARSENIC IN BODY OF HUSBAND OF WOMAN HELD IN POISON CASE

COLBY, WIS., GRAVE YIELDS EVIDENCE AFTER EIGHT YEARS

Third Corpse of Persons Close
to Woman to Show Heavy
Poison Dose

CHICAGO — Questioning of Mrs. Mary Demmer in connection with the Schiller Park poison mystery was pushed with renewed vigor last night following a report by Coroner Hoffman that two grains of arsenic had been found in the body of her husband, John Demmer, by chemists.

Demmer, buried eight years ago in Colby, Wis., was exhumed Wednesday after an examination of two other bodies, those of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kolze, had disclosed sufficient arsenic to cause the death of twenty men, Coroner Hoffman said. The report of his chemist, W. D. McNulty, indicated additional quantities of arsenic would be found in further analysis.

Woman Is Being Held.
Mrs. Demmer, housekeeper for Kolze up to the time of his death, was taken in custody Monday on orders of Assistant State's Attorney James E. McShane and Chief Investigator Ben Newmark. It was believed she could throw some light on the deaths. She admitted her love for Kolze, but denied killing him. Attorney McShane was undecided last night as to what action the state would take.

"I'm only sure of one thing," he said. "We will hold Mrs. Demmer at least until after the inquests."
"I am not accusing any one," Coroner Hoffman said, "but here are the facts: The physician has found sufficient arsenic in Demmer to kill two persons. Indications are that the poison is scattered through his whole system."

In my opinion the arsenic was injected through the mouth and in small quantities. In each case the victim became ill eight or nine days before death and in each instance Mrs. Demmer nursed them and cooked their food.

Juries to Be Recalled.
The coroner said he would immediately reconvene the coroner's juries that considered the cases of Mr. and Mrs. Kolze. This will probably be done today.

Evidence thus far revealed by the investigations of the state's attorney's office discloses that Mrs. Demmer came to Wisconsin from Germany.

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BAND CONCERT IN RIVERSIDE PARK IS DELIGHTFUL EVENT

Large Audience Hears First
Concert by Newly Organ-
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Several thousand persons enjoyed the first public band concert by the newly organized Citizens' band at Riverside park Thursday night.

The band played a number of popular numbers, including dance and march features, in good style, and rooting of automobile horns and much applause attested to the appreciation of the audience.

Cars filled with people almost completely encircled the driveway at the north end of the park, and along the river drive machines were parked on both sides of the thoroughfare. The concert lasted two hours.

CATHOLIC FORESTERS FOR ANY COMPROMISE DE VALERA APPROVES

MILWAUKEE, Wis. — A resolution stating that the International Catholic Order of Foresters unanimously recognized the right of Ireland to complete independence, but would be willing to lend their support to any compromise form of home rule agreed to by De Valera, the Irish parliament, was adopted at Thursday's session of the annual convention.

Support of Catholic education and National Catholic Welfare council was pledged in other resolutions.

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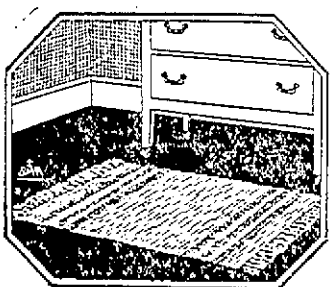
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\$1.35

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\$1.95

30x60 Dixie Rag, fancy colors, regular \$3.00 value, special—

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\$4.85

30x60 Roving Rag, fancy colors, regular \$5.50, special—

\$4.15

30x60 Cretonne Art Rag, all colors, regular \$5.50, special—

\$4.15

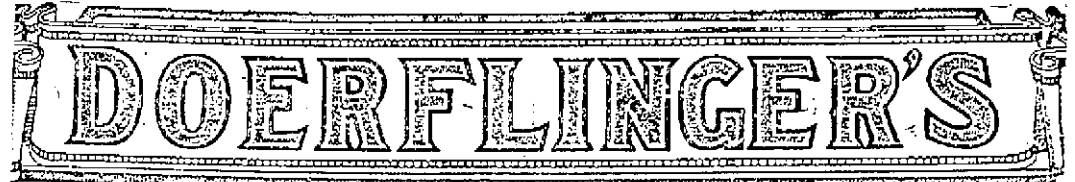
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Final Clearance On Our Wash DRESSES

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August days, hot and languorous, bring with them an urgent need for tub frocks—a need that can be easily and economically filled during this Frocks Reduction Sale. Crisp organdies, plain and figured voiles, gingham, linens, etc., will be found in the assortment. Values up to \$27.50, divided into four groups for quick clearance at—

\$5, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$10

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Seafoam Washing Powder.
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EXTRA!

Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, daylight saving time, we will place on sale

**200 Pieces
Bonnie Blue Enamel Ware**

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59c

BASEMENT.

OVERAMMERGAU AT WORK ON REVIVAL OF PASSION PLAY

World-famous Pageant of
Christ's Life Will be Given
First Time Since the War

VILLAGE BUSTLES ABOUT RESTORING THE SETTINGS

Cast to be Selected in October:
Competition for Parts is on

OVERAMMERGAU:—Since the decision was made to give the delayed Passion Play in 1922 Overammergau has taken on new life. Carpenters, painters and masons, many of them working long hair and beards which mark them as participants in previous dramatizations of the passion of Jesus Christ, are restoring the open-air theater and villas which had no attention during the war period. Busy housewives are preparing their homes for the reception of visitors who will fill the little village next summer. Scene-painters are rebuilding and restoring the representations of parts of the Holy Land where Jesus lived and died and rose again from the tomb.

Are Making Robes

Needlewomen are fashioning robes for the apostles and scores of other biblical figures who participate in the play. Although the cast will not be elected by the directors of the play until October, young women who have distinguished themselves in other religious plays given by the Overammergau folk are fashioning simple robes suitable for the role of Mary in the hope that they will be chosen to enact the part of Jesus' mother, the highest honor which can come to an Overammergau woman.

The great auditorium which shelters spectators of the Passion Play is a wooden structure supported by steel trusses. It has seats for 4,000 persons, arranged much after the plan of a modern opera house. When the play is offered one end of the auditorium is removed entirely, and the stage stands at some distance from the end of the building, in such a position that the mountains furnish a background for the setting. The audience is entirely sheltered in case of rain and the main part of the stage has a glass roof.

Even Children Act

Even among the children of Overammergau the reverence for the Passion Play is very marked and in imitation of their elders they are constantly acting in the hope of being chosen for important roles in the production given every ten years.

As good character is insisted upon as the basic requirement for participation in the play, the danger of being debased from a part in the historic spectacle is held constantly over the village children and is a far better corrective influence than the boys invented for most children.

Many Uses for Cork

Cork is such a valuable commodity that very little is allowed to go to waste. The best cork comes from Spain where stoppers are made of it and shipped to all parts of the world. Likewise fine and very smooth sheets of cork, which are used for tips of cigarettes, linings of hats and helmets and to some extent for the printing of visiting cards. Cork sawdust is used for making bricks, and, combined with coal dust and tar, for fuel briquettes; also for packing fruit. Each barrel of Spanish grapes exported contains eight pounds of the material and annually the exportation of grapes from Spain amounts to 3,000,000 barrels. Waste scraps of cork are pressed into bales, dried and shipped to France, England and the United States, where they are used for insulating and various other purposes.

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LONDON'S PRIZE TWINS



Florence and Ivy Edwards won the first prize for twins at the annual baby show held at West Ham Park, London, England. There were so many entered that all were tagged with numbers to prevent a mix-up.

Slips of the Mighty

A writer in a French magazine has collected an amusing series of howlers perpetrated not by school children, but by great celebrities like Thiers, who, describing one of Napoleon's battles, says "Throughout the day torrents of rain poured down and twenty thousand Austrians hit the dust." Jules Troplong, a distinguished legal historian, whose verbose style is in keeping with his surname proclaims in one of his massive tomes: "In the midst of many crumbling institutions, that of propriety stands erect on its feet, seated upon Justice." Francisque Sarcey was responsible for two delightful bulls: "Vive his helmet waves a missing flame," and "In the tones of Mlle. Ugalde, one recognizes her mother's familiar hand."

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WORLD'S AIRPLANE LOOP RECORD BROKEN BY JAP

TOKYO—Lieut. Kawada, of the first aviation corps of Kawanishihara, set a new world's record for loops when he flipped 456 consecutive times in an airplane.

DENIES THE MOVIE WEANS KIDS AWAY FROM THE CLASSIC

Famous Characters of Literature More Popular than Ever Says Children's Librarian

BOSTON—The adventures of D'Araguam, Midshipman East, Tom Sawyer and the other favorites of a half-century standing are still eagerly read by the children in spite of the "jazz" literature that has invaded the field. Miss Alice I. Hazeltine, supervisor of the children's department in the St. Louis public library, in discussing the fifty annual institute of librarians held here recently, said the well-thumbed tomes in which a dozen generations had sought guidance, as to practical habits were still read with the unwavering state and concentration that befits not the dinner-bell.

She added that moving pictures had

had no evil influence on the children's reading; in fact more children every month were coming to visualize the greatest adventures of all time between the covers of a book.

She advocated a more widespread introduction of foreign history stories for children and advised that they be taught to read stories and biographies of American life.

STRIPED OVERALLS MAKE ACCUSED BURGLAR NERVOUS

PORTLAND—John Jones, he said his name was. He was on trial for burglary. He became very nervous, and asked the judge that a man sitting in the rear of the courtroom and wearing overalls should be ejected. The judge asked why.

"Cause them overalls has got stripes in 'em and they remind me of things," replied the prisoner.

An Algerian tree yields a fruit from which a soap can be obtained with the aid of alcohol or water.

50,000 A MONTH FLEE FROM RUSSIA DESPITE GUARDS

Among Fugitives are Russians From America Who are Fed Up With Communism

WARSAW.—Bolshevik soldiers guard the Russian border and only certain persons are given permission to leave the country. For by bribery and other means, great numbers of persons are crossing into adjacent countries each night. Polish government officials have estimated that about 50,000 have been entering Poland from Russia every month, despite efforts of the Polish authorities to keep them out. Only a very small percentage of these people carry the proper credentials from the bolsheviks.

A recent arrival in Warsaw from Russia was Ralph Rimar, formerly a student in Detroit and Charleston, W.

Va., who left America, via Canada, early in January this year, with 700 other Russians. Rimar went to the United States eight years ago from a part of Russia which is now included within the Polish republic where his parents reside.

Rimar says that when he last saw the emigrants whom he had accompanied to Russia all had had enough of the bolshevik regime and wished that they were back in the states.

Rimar was in Russia three months, visiting Petrograd, Moscow, Kiev and other cities and towns. Conditions generally, he said, were gradually becoming worse, everywhere. He is eager to return to the United States but, without credentials, is unable to get a passport.

Rimar says he went to Russia, to satisfy his curiosity and for fun—but that he didn't have any pleasure at all, and that his curiosity is thoroughly satisfied. He was arrested five times, went without a square meal for 12 weeks and that if he is ever able to get back to the United States he will stay put there for all time.

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Silk Dresses Now at Half Price

\$75.00 Dresses—	\$50.00 Dresses—	\$25.00 Dresses—
\$37.50	\$25.00	\$12.50
\$65.00 Dresses—	\$35.00 Dresses—	\$20.00 Dresses—
\$32.50	\$17.50	\$10.00

Dresses of Taffeta Silk, Canton Crepe, Silk Foulard, Satin Charmeuse.

Clean-up Sale of Women's Dresses and Aprons, trimmed with organdie ruffling, sash and rick-rack braid, values up to \$4.00, Saturday	\$1.39 \$1.79
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Women's Holeproof Hose, pure silk, values up to \$2.25, now at **\$1.79**
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Women's black and brown mercerized Hose, 50c value... **35c**

\$10.00 Women's Bathing Suits,	\$7.00
\$7.50 Women's Bathing Suits at	\$5.00

One lot of Silk Waists, Teddy Bears, Bloomers, Muslin Petticoats, values up to \$5.00, Saturday **\$1.98**
at
Pretty lace and embroidered trimmed Georgette Crepe Waists, values up to \$7.00, Saturday **\$3.98**
at
Women's Silk Sweaters, navy blue, tomato and black, values up to \$13.50, Saturday... **\$8.95**
Zephyr Yarn Sweater, values up to \$12.00, Saturday at—
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Women's fine lisle Union Suits, values up to \$1.00, Saturday at—
49c, 59c, 69c
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70-inch pure Linen Table Damask, \$4.50 value, yard **\$3.25**
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Snap and Smartness for Outdoor Wear

NEVER has there been such interest in real sports clothes as there is being shown right now. Once the sports girl considered herself well dressed if she wore comfortably and practically clothed for her hobby. Now she adds to the requirements of her sports clothes a certain dash and adherence to the mode. In other words, she looks so well in her outdoor rigs that she dresses at home and motors, trolleys or walks through the city streets to the club or park where she is to indulge in her favorite sport.

It is not such a shock any more to see a girl in riding costume on the street, after she has left her horse at the stables or riding school. She stops her habit, which is sure to have breeches, with a skirt to match her coat, a short topcoat to the knees, or one of the new tweed sports capes with the plain coat front. The cape, knit, tweed or brushed wool, or the polo coat in some guise must have a place in the sports wardrobe. This season the latter is an extremely gay affair, with an overplaid of contrasting color, the background being natural camel's hair, postman blue, light green or tan.

But to come back to her riding habit. She will want her breeches made to lace where they tuck into the boot, which are being made tighter, by



A CONVERTIBLE COSTUME

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AS IT IS WHEN CONVERTED

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IN STRIPED HOMESPUN

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EVERY DAY HELPS!

COMMON wood ashes is one of the best scouring powders for granite, tin or stoneware. It will also remove dark stains from dishes. Wet a cloth, dip it in the dry ashes and scour the stain. A few strokes are sufficient.

An easy way to polish silverware is to lay it in a pan, cover it with sour milk and let stand a few hours; polish with a dry cloth.

A moth preventative will be found in dried orange peel, put away in clothing. A few drops of lavender oil

will also keep away moths. Very good boiled custard can be made without sugar by using sweetened condensed milk.

To kill bedbugs, mix 2-3 benzine and 1-3 turpentine; spray wherever they are likely to be.

Salt added to potatoes when nearly done insures flakiness and prevents them from going to pieces. When boiling a fowl add a teaspoon of lemon juice and a tablespoon of vinegar to the water; it will be tender.

Hobbies for Husbands

A WIFE need never feel very frightened of the "other woman" if she provides her husband with a hobby and gives him plenty of opportunities to indulge his fancy. Only the aimless husband usually casts his eye over the garden wall at the "lady" next door. A man with a hobby is never really and truly unhappy, and only the unhappy man shows an inclination to wander—in search of happiness, no doubt. But a man with an interest outside his business is a man who can always find joy in the midst of the duller domesticity. Wise is the wife who shares in this interest, shares it with the enthusiasm of a fellow-worker, not in the good humored condescension of a mother telling her "little one" he can go upstairs to play with his toys. Apart from the bond it creates between a husband and wife, a hobby is a very comfortable means for a man to get rid of his superfluous imagination. Without it he often takes to vice, and makes a hobby of that. Silly as it may sound, a camera and a dark room have saved many a man

from secretly calculating if he can afford to keep two homes.

While, as for golf—well, it may make him a bore doubtless, but better live with a bore than a blackguard any day of the week! If girls were brought up to do at least something really well, they would not seem so much to live only to catch the fancy of an insane young man by an even greater exhibition of insanity. A person who is even a minor authority on some subject is a person with whom it is never a waste of time to talk. Better a conversation about moths than one which begins by demanding if one has seen Chu Chin Chow and ends by both of us wishing the other would fall down dead. Everybody should at least have one point d'appui upon which the floundering conversationalist may lean and find thereon some sort of support.



TRIED RECIPES

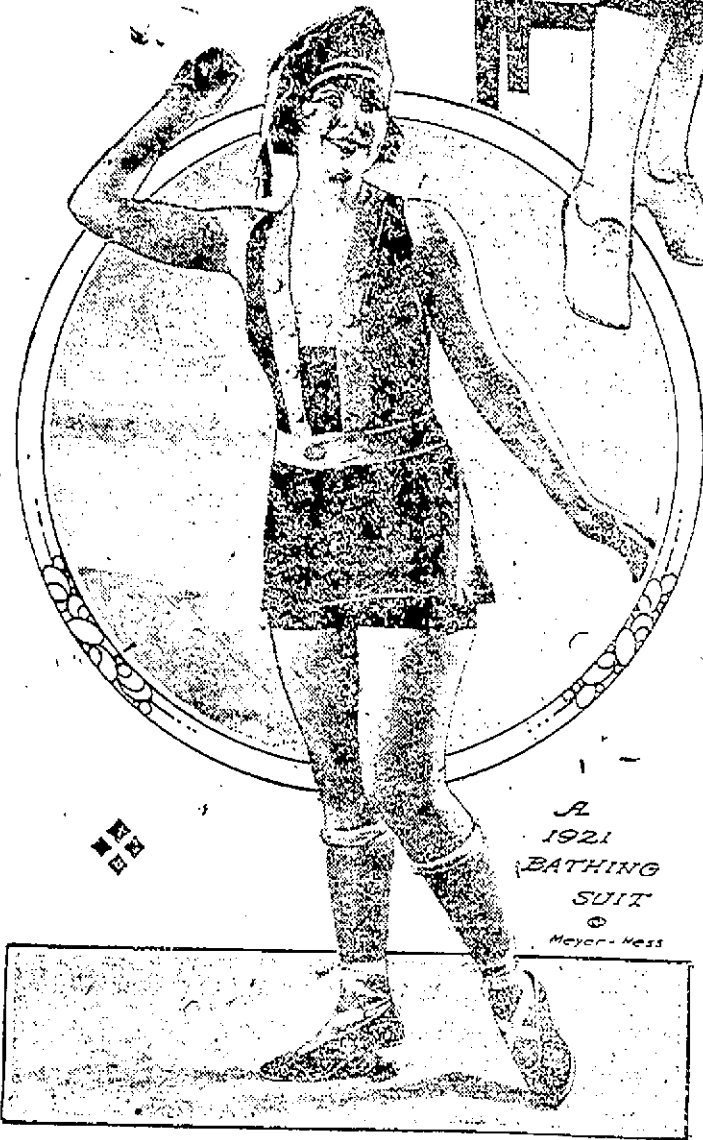
Pound Cake.

Take a pound of flour, one pound sugar, one pound butter, 10 eggs, two level teaspoons baking powder. Method—Cream butter and sugar together well. Beat yolks very light and add to batter and sugar. Sift flour and powders together several times. Mix this into the egg mixture. Beat whites stiff and fold into batter; put into a greased pan and bake about an hour and a half or longer until it stops singing. Test with a straw. Now the old-fashioned pound cake had no baking powder, but it took several hours' beating to make it light. If this could be done again there would be no need of any powders. This makes a rather close cake. I think a little powder helps. I am giving a recipe we call near pound cake. Few people can tell it is not the real pound cake;



LATEST WORD IN TENNIS OUTFITS

"The latest tennis 'togs,'" says one authority, "should be white gabardine breeches and fluen shirts with short sleeves and comfortable V necks."



A 1921 BATHING SUIT ©Mayer Chic

the way. She will also want them made in the new "split and fall" style, the substitute for the breeches that open at the sides and insuring a neater fit over the hips. If she rides throughout the year, her Spring habit will be one of the new tweeds, or a homespun coat with Bedford cord breeches, the coat just semi-fitted. Her hat will be of the coat material in a soft stitched shape, very comfortable and usually very becoming.

Stunning Suits for Golf.

For golf, women are coming now and more to the wearing of tunners, the loose, baggy sort falling over the heavy cuffed stockings just like the men wear. So don't be surprised to hail across the green to the next tee to Bobbie Jones and find out it is his sister. Women's golf coats are being cut with the pleat at the back of the armhole, which gives plenty of play for the difficult drive. Some stunning new English suits for golf with large plaids and checks on Scotch cheviot are being cut with adjustable side pleats that can be unbuttoned during the

game for freedom of action, and buttoned up to a straight skirt when the eighteenth hole has been passed. These same homespuns in such pleasing combinations as orange, black and white stripes on neutral tan backgrounds show fringed pockets, heavy leather buttons and decided mannish touches. Straps control the length of the stride in other suits of this same type.

Velvet makes other sports suits for golf and general outdoor wear. In black, with a circular skirt and Eton jacket is one, the jacket slashed to show a buffed muslin blouse and a deep belt of Roman stripe ribbon. With such a suit goes a stitched black taffeta hat trimmed with red glazed cherries.

Country Club Wear.

For country club wear this Spring nothing is nicer than the smart little sports dresses which are not too nice to join a hiking party or even play a set of doubles. These are as likely as not to be knit, of either wool or silk, though the wool seems to have the

preference. Lots has been done throughout the Winter to improve the knit wool sports frock. It is being fashioned along the newest lines, with trimmings of contrasting knit silk, crepe braid or even leather. It is not the bulky thing it was at first, but fits as well as serge or linen. Wool jersey still holds a place among the sports dresses, while flannel is the latest comer. A beautiful frock of the latter proves the popularity of the flannel sports dress without a doubt. It is of canary yellow plaided largely with white, the skirt made in three tiers in front and these with the shawl collar and sleeves frayed to a fringe as the only trimming. A string belt of the flannel holds in the chemise fullness of the dress in the back. With it is worn a soft white satin hat with bell crown. —Philadelphia Record.

AMERICAN MONEY COMING ACROSS MEXICAN BORDER

Rumor of New Troubles in
Prospect Revives Talk of
U. S. Intervention

HOUSTON, Texas.—Lending strength to disquieting rumors from Mexico, it was learned Friday that American currency from Mexico is pouring into Houston banks. It comes in a steady stream over the border and by all tanker from the Mexican ports of Tampico and Vera Cruz approximately \$1,500,000 having been deposited within three weeks in the federal reserve bank here and two national banks, and on Tuesday an oil tanker brought \$150,000 to one bank.

It was packed in an old grip. Rumblings from Mexico are being heard all along the border.

Economic Conditions Bad
Returned travelers say that economic conditions south of the Rio Grande are very bad, and they report a widening breach in Obregon's cabinet, a split in the Mexican congress, the complete estrangement of De La Huerta and Secretary of War Calles, and the coalition of several political factions under leadership of Pablo Gonzalez.

There is much speculation along the border, and talk of American intervention has been renewed. The United States is decidedly shy of troops along the 2,000 mile stretch of border land, with only seven cavalry regiments between El Paso and Brownsville. At Fort Sam Houston, however, the veteran 2d division is in readiness for anything, while at Fort Bliss there are several artillery units and a tank corps.

NO RAISE NEEDED IN COMPENSATION INSURANCE RATES

MADISON, Wis.—That there will be no necessity for an increase in compensation insurance rates as the result of legislation enacted by the past session is the statement of Thomas W. Broughton, secretary of the state compensation insurance board.

"The compensation law of this state was amended at the 1921 legislative session by increasing the maximum weekly wage basis from \$22.50 to \$26," says Mr. Broughton in an official statement to all employers. "The maximum weekly compensation is thereby increased from \$14.63 to \$18.90. This is the only amendment that increases to any extent the cost of the compensation law."

"The board has made a careful analysis of the effect of this amendment upon the insurance cost and has concluded that no increase in statistics, the cost of the act is increased less than 5 per cent, and experience filed by insurance companies shows conclusively that there is a sufficient margin in the present rates to take care of the increase, even considering the present reduction in wages."

Wanted His Money's Worth
The Newly-Riches were seated in their handsome drawing room. Mrs. Newly-Riches, at the grand piano, laboriously picked out hymn tunes with one finger. "Hang it all, fussus," said Mr. Newly-Riches, impatiently, "if I buy you a piano that size, I expect you to use both fists."

Auto Warning
Sign on Chicago boulevard—Aunties will slow down to a walk.
Sign in London, O.—Drive slow and see our town. Drive fast and see our jail.—Boston Transcript.

PARIS SAYS "HOOPS!" NEW YORK SMILES



BY MARLAN HALL
NEW YORK.—Here we are fresh from Paris without a hoop missing. Maybe they will come to America and maybe they will not. But at any rate the gay Parisiennes are blowing about the race tracks and summer resorts of France, all dolled up in regular grandmother clothes.

Truly, they are "all over the place." New York designers say that even if the hoopskirt is recognized in our best American style circles, it will be in a very modified form.

New York has something to say about fashions these days—so freaky fashions from the other side are eliminated by the authority of our own style arbiters. Adven in fashions America strives to be practical. We haven't room for hoopskirts except on the stage. Fancy a boy of hoopskirted damsels in a crowd! It is to smile!

**HORSE HAD SENSE;
WHEN HE FELT BAD
HE SOUGHT DOCTOR**
SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—William Seifken, a farmer residing four miles from Springfield took his horse to a veterinarian a year ago when the animal was sick with colic. The horse was sick again Thursday and Seifken called the veterinarian, Dr. A. E. Dickerson. When Dickerson arrived at the Seifken farm the barn door was found kicked off its hinges and the horse was gone. The animal was found later standing at the door of the "horse hospital" in Springfield, where it was treated last year.

Everybody Fishes
A great proportion of the adult population of Newfoundland is engaged in the fisheries industry.

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a Federal Reserve Bank Examiner told us last week after concluding a two-day examination of this bank. Folks, La Crosse County does not know the meaning of tight times. Let's all boost. We live in the finest, most prosperous County in the old U. S. A.

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In The MOVIES

AT THE THEATERS TODAY
Rivoli—"The Passionate Pilgrim" with Matt Moore, Ruby de Remer, Claire Whitney, Charles Gerard, and Julia Swayne Gordon, and the Beyerstedts.
Riviera—Jubilee Girls in "Lonesome Town" with Franklyn Farnum, in "The Raiders" with Matt Moore, Ruby de Remer, and Julia Swayne Gordon, and the Beyerstedts.
Strand—"The Wall Street Mystery" with Matt Moore, Ruby de Remer, and Julia Swayne Gordon, and the Beyerstedts.

"THE PASSIONATE PILGRIM"
One of the strongest photographs shown in this city in many weeks, is "The Passionate Pilgrim," a Paramount-Cosmopolitan picture which was shown at the Rivoli theater with considerable success yesterday. With a superior cast of players headed by Matt Moore, Ruby de Remer, and Julia Swayne Gordon, the absorbing story was adequately developed. The situations have a thrill of their own and the action does not drag. Altogether, "The Passionate Pilgrim" is a worth while photograph whose artistic excellence is stamped upon every scene. It plays the Rivoli today and Saturday.

"LONESOME TOWN" JUBILEE GIRLS OFFERING AT THE RIVIERA FRIDAY, SATURDAY
"Lonesome Town" will be the offering of the Jubilee Girls at the Riviera today and Saturday. It is a gay and giddy mix-up. Cohn, Levy and Easy (Dooley, Golden and Hipp) try to get off Isaac's (Harry Bowers) money and then try to steal the whole town but they forget to figure on the sheriff and he spoils their little game. Song numbers for this show are: "Nothing on the Level Any More," James Dooley; "If I Had a Little Bird," Betty Martin. The feature picture is Franklyn Farnum in "The Raiders," a story of the northwest mounted police.

"THE COUNTY FAIR"—CASINO
Maurice Tourneur's "The County Fair" is now showing at the Casino. The story is taken from the play in which Neil Burgess starred all over the country for many seasons. It is one of those studies of rural American life which are chuck full of heart interest, quaint humor and all the excitement incident to a day at a county fair and winding up with a thrilling horse race in which the entry of the leading characters not only triumphs over the crooked schemers in winning the event but taking down a purse that saves the farm for Aunt Abigail and her deserving associates. It has been likened to a trip to the country on a sweet summer day and has taken the motion picture world by storm.

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Sunday School Teacher—Children, do you know the house that is open to all—to the poor, the rich, the sad, the happy, to man and to woman, to young and to old—do you know the house I mean?
Small Boy—"Yes, miss; the stationhouse."
The Jilt
Charlotte—"Now Joe at the movies with Mabel Saturday night. Aven't you keeping company with him now?"
Gladys—"No, I asked him if he liked her better than me, and he said yes—so I threw him over."—Life.

Also a Comedy
Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Cago are invited to the Casino Saturday as guests of the management.

**SATURDAY
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It's a picture abounding in excitement.

FOX NEWS **RIVIERA ORCHESTRA**

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20 HOLD PLUMBER EXAM
MADISON, Wis.—State plumbing examinations to determine the qualifications of candidates for license as master and journeyman plumbers will be held Aug. 23 at Milwaukee and Madison by the state board of health. The school of trades at 331 Virginia street, Milwaukee and the university

service building in Madison will be headquarters.

COOPER'S CASINO

Continuous Show Daily—11 A. M. to 11 P. M.—(Standard Time).

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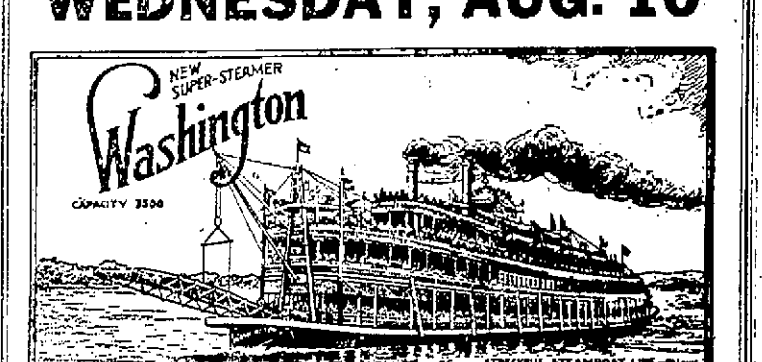
Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Bay and Mrs. Weiler are invited to the Strand Saturday as guests of the management.

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**SATURDAY
"THE COUNTY FAIR"**

Daylight Trip To Winona

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 10



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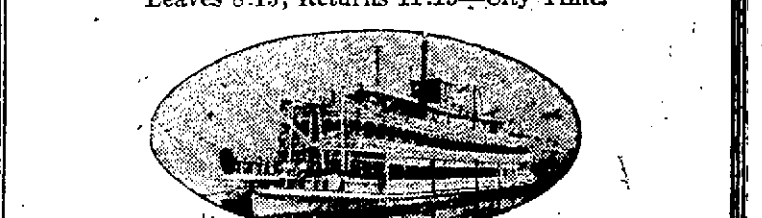
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Wednesday Night

August 10th

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Fill Your Market Basket Saturday After a Glance Over the Ads. Here

MAN IS KILLED BY \$32,000 GIRL THIEF

Refuses to Shoulder Her Crime and She Shoots, She Tells Police

ORLANDO, Fla.—Fred A. Millmore, former superintendent of the postal substation at the Chicago union station, was shot and killed by Miss Lena Clarke, postmistress at West Palm Beach, Fla., when he refused to sign a statement confessing he had robbed the postoffice of \$32,000. The shooting occurred Monday night in a hotel room here.

Girl Robs Postoffice
According to Chief of Police Veste of Orlando, Miss Clarke had a deficit of \$26,300 in her accounts. On July 26 she robbed the postoffice of \$32,000, applying the \$26,300 to her accounts, and hiding the balance in the home of J. B. Chambers, her grandfather, with whom she lived.

Then, the chief declares, she went to the hotel room, previously reserved for her, in Orlando, and there met Millmore.

She has confessed, he says, that she tried to obtain from him a signed statement to the effect that he had committed the postoffice robbery, and failing, she shot him.

Tells Police Strange Story
Miss Clarke has been under arrest since Tuesday morning, held without bond, and questioned by postal inspectors. She first admitted the robbery, it is said, exonerating Millmore of all blame, but declared she knew nothing of the murder.

She is said to have declared she thought Millmore knew something of the robbery, and that she went to see him about it, that he asked for a drink of water, and she dropped it and gave it to him. She did this, she is said to have told the police, to hold him until the police should arrive. She left him and went to call the police, and when they arrived the man was dead.

She gave it as her opinion, the police say, that the man had come out of the room, realized he would be arrested, and committed suicide.

Find Mail Bags Near Body
The detectives were not satisfied with her story. They kept on questioning her.

They had found two bags, which had apparently been cut open, lying near Millmore's body. The bags were of the type used to carry money or other valuables, but they could find no money.

They believed Miss Clarke had "so the stage" to convict the dead man. They told her it was camouflage, and finally, she said, she confessed it was.

WEALTHY KENOSHAN MUST PAY \$30,000 TO DIVORCED WIFE

KENOSHA, Wis.—In the circuit court here Thursday Judge E. B. Beiden handed down a decree of divorce in the suit of Mary Bode against Mathias Bode, wealthy Kenosha furniture dealer. By the provisions of the stipulation signed by the attorneys, Mrs. Bode will receive \$20,000 in cash and other property to the value of \$10,000. The legal custody of the children is divided. The mother received the custody of Marjorie, aged 6 years, with an allowance of \$50 a month; Eugene is given to the father, and Madeline, the oldest daughter, is to select her own legal custody. She is to receive \$100 a month for her support. Mrs. Bode charged cruelty and inhuman treatment.

Largest American Tree
The largest, but not the tallest, tree in America is situated at Wethersfield, Conn., and attached to it is a swinging table on which is the following inscription: "Largest tree in U. S. A. Age 250 years. Height 87 feet. Diameter spread 147 feet. Circumference 28 feet."

THREE IN A SPILL!



One horse failed to top the bars and went down. Two mounts, following closely, piled on top of the fallen horse and his rider. The riders escaped with a few scratches. They were members of the Royal Engineers at the Aldershot horse show, England.

UNDER THE CAPITOL DOME

Odds and Ends of State Affairs by William J. Anderson

MADISON, Wis.—During the present period of depression there is an unmistakable drift of population from the cities to the country, reversing the tide which has been drawing thousands of young men from the country to the cities. From August 15, 1920, to July 15, 1921, there was a decrease in the number of employees in factories in Wisconsin of 150,000, in round numbers as shown by monthly reports furnished by the large employers throughout the state to the industrial commission. A large percentage of these men laid off in factories have found other work in the cities. Thousands, however, have gone back to the country and the country towns. While there is no surplus of experienced farm labor, the farm help situation is much easier this year than for many years. In the first six months of 1921 the eleven free employment offices of the industrial commission referred 1,204 applicants for work to farmers, as against 633 in the same six months in 1920.

Dr. A. S. Alexander in charge of the horse breeding division of the state department of agriculture reports that there are 1,081 pure bred stallions having licenses in good standing in 1921 comprising 750 Percherons, 134 Belgians, 31 Christies, 20 French Drafts, 18 Shires, 55 Standard Bred Trotters, 4 Morgans, 4 German Coachers, 2 French Coachers, 3 Hackneys, 1 Shetland Pony, 1 Arabian, 2 Welsh Ponies, 1 Thoroughbred and 18 Jacks. Grant county heads the list in ownership of pure bred stallions with 62 head. The other leading counties are: Dane, 45; Iowa, 37; Sauk, 36; St. Croix, 34; Dodge, 31; Buffalo and Trempealeau, 30 each; Vernon, 29; Columbia, 28, and Clark, 26.

While the state's bookkeeping records show that the total cost to the people of the state for carrying on the state government during the year ending June 30, 1920, was close to three

million dollars, there was an offset to this of earnings and receipts from different departments, such as fees of various kinds, the earnings of the board of control industries, and the university and normal school activities, etc., together with the sums contributed by the federal government, which brought down the actual net cost to about eighteen and one-half million dollars.

There isn't anything mysterious about the state's fiscal system, yet few people understand clearly how the state costs money or how it expends it. The revenue system of Wisconsin comprises: (1) direct taxes levied for specific and general purposes upon real and personal property; (2) income and inheritance taxes levied for general purposes; (3) railroad and other public service corporation taxes; (4) departmental receipts such as auto license fees, fishing and hunting

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license fees, insurance fees, etc.; (5) earnings of different departments from industries or other activities; (6) interest on state funds deposited in banks; (7) suit taxes; (8) contributions from federal government such as those for highway aid, etc. The revenues through which the state expends money may be roughly divided into four, the legislative, and administrative, the educational and the judicial.

M. B. O'Brien, executive council of the state and a very busy lawyer, tells in the July number of the Wisconsin Conservationist how he has successfully cultivated in his small home garden in Madison, four varieties of wild orchids, the small white, the yellow, the rose-pink, and the regina ladyslippers. Mr. O'Brien is a wild-flower enthusiast.

The Wisconsin onion crop in 1921 will be only about one-half of the 1920 production, states Joseph A. Becker of the Wisconsin Co-operative Crop Reporting service. Average planted is 1,000 acres compared to 1,200 last year. Plantations on July 15 were for a yield about 60 per cent as large as a year ago. The prospective onion crop of the United States is also less than last year. Average planted was 58,000 acres, compared to 65,000 last year. The early and intermediate states show a commercial production of 10,370 cars, compared to 13,750 last year. The late states show a condition much below average.

HELD AS PICKPOCKETS
CHICAGO, Ill.—Joseph Doyle and Homer Armsfield of Madison, Wis., are under arrest here charged with being pickpockets. They were arrested

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Soap, Luna **6 bars 25c**
Sardines, Amer. 6 cans **25c**
Toilet Paper, four large rolls crepe paper for **25c**
Lemons, fancy Sunlight, large size, dozen **38c**
Oatmeal, Quaker brand, package **11c**
Baking Powder, Dr. Price's, regular 25c size, Saturday **21c**
Jiffy Jell, as 3 pkgs. sorted flavors **25c**
Salmon, half pound tins, Chinook Salmon, extra value at per can **15c**
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Flour, Daniel Webster guaranteed flour, 49-pound bag for **\$2.60**
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ed when one of them is alleged to have handed a purse to a plain-clothes man standing behind him while being questioned by a policeman.

Woman as Medal Designer
Mme. Anle Mouroux, a French woman, is now on a visit to this country and has achieved a world wide reputation as a designer and maker of medals. She designed a number of war medals, for the French government, and has done other notable

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Say it again, Nut Brown Brand Coffee in one pound air-tight pkg., price **40c**
P. & G. Luna brand laundry soap, special for 6 bars **25c**

work. She was a winner of the Prix de Rome, which was established in 1666, and during all that time she was the only woman who contested for the honor. When she was selected the award narrowed itself down to a group of six.

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NEW YORK.—Representative Isaac Spiegel of this city, a member of the house immigration committee, estimates that in Greater New York there are 1,032,000 adults not citizens of the United States. This, he says, is a dangerously large proportion of aliens in a city whose total population is approximately 3,000,000.

To offset this condition it is planned to conduct an intensive drive this fall to gather these aliens into the United States fold and civic, state and national bodies will assist in speeding up naturalization.

Early in October President Harding will be invited to address a gathering of 15,000 new citizens in this city.

A systematic campaign is under way in Brooklyn to enroll new citizens. Judge Crensey will sit practically all summer in the naturalization court and under present arrangements will turn out a daily average of 500 new citizens.

All told, it is estimated that in Greater New York there will have been added by the end of October enough new voters to increase the nation's electorate by at least 80,000.

Save the Forests
In five years the forest fires have swept across nearly 60,000,000 acres of territory in this country—an area greater than the combined extent of Ohio and Pennsylvania. In these fires timber and other property to the value of nearly \$90,000,000 have been destroyed. This is merely the price of the property which has gone up in smoke; if the ultimate production of this property is included in the reckoning \$400,000,000 is not likely to be found an exaggerated estimate of the losses.

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Pounding swords into plowshares has a modernized version in England. A German submarine, washed up on the beach between Hastings and Bexhill, has been transformed into a bathing pavilion. These girl bathers are climbing aboard, where cabins have been fitted up as dressing rooms.

PASTORAL MEETING AT GALESVILLE TO CLOSE ON SUNDAY

GALESVILLE, Wis. — Sunday, August 7, there will be held a series of open air services on the Gale college campus at Galesville. In the forenoon there will be Norwegian services conducted by Rev. Bertram of Holmen. In the afternoon short addresses in the English language will be given by Rev. Boe of Blair, Rev. Marvick of Black River Falls and Rev. Otterson of West Salem. Sunday's program marks the close of a pastoral conference now being held on the Gale college grounds and it is expected that hundreds of Lutherans will be in attendance at the festivities on Sunday. All who come to spend the day are requested to bring their own lunch baskets. Coffee, cold drinks and light refreshments will be sold at very reasonable prices.

The Dahlia's Life Story

The dahlia grew originally in Mexico, and the first specimens were sent to Europe, to a professor in the Botanical Gardens at Madrid, who named it in honor of the Swedish Professor Dahl.

Worse Than Mosquito

The knorr of Lapland, a sandfly, is a greater pest than the mosquito, its bite at first being painless but on the second day swelling to enormous size and burning exceedingly.

IN THE MORNING PAPERS A Summary of the News

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The United States has won an initial victory in the Egyptian cotton case conference in London. British conferees agreeing to allocate fifty per cent of the shipments of Egyptian cotton from Alexandria to this country, to the United States, according to a cable to the shipping board.

CHICAGO, Ill.—An arbitration plan affecting 30,000 Armour & Company employees was signed at a meeting of representatives of employees and management under the "industrial democracy" plans.

ST. LOUIS.—A mail pouch containing \$40,000 obtained by three bandits who held up a postoffice messenger at Northwood River, Ill., was found in a cornfield near Peters, Ill.

ROCKFORD, Ill.—Two members of the citizens' military training camp at Camp Grant were killed and another was fatally injured and seven hurt when an army truck overturned.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Unless unexpected opposition develops the international conference on disarmament and far eastern subjects proposed by President Harding will convene on November 11, it was announced.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Conditions at the Johnson City, Tenn., old soldiers' home, where former service men are receiving hospital treatment are such that casualties will be proportionately higher than during the war unless congress acts at once, Director Forbes of the bureau of war risk insurance told a senate committee.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Rights of non-union employees were upheld by the railroad labor board in deciding a dispute between the Pennsylvania railroad and the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Freight rates on grain, grain products and grain by-

products from Chicago and the Central Freight association territory to North Atlantic seaboard ports for export will be reduced 7 1/2 cents per 100 pounds as a result of conferences between railway and shippers' representatives. It was announced.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A decrease of employment in July of 1.1 per cent was shown by the payroll of 1,425 firms each employing 500 or more workers in 65 principal industrial cities, according to figures announced by the department of labor.

GENEVA.—It is announced the Swiss federal authorities have given former Emperor Charles of Austria until the end of August to leave Swiss territory.

STATE TO DIVIDE AUTO FEE FUNDS EARLY NEXT WEEK

MADISON.—Early next week the secretary of state office will make its apportionment of the automobile money between the counties and the state highway fund. During the fiscal year ending July 1, the department collected over \$3,600,000 in license fees. After the cost of administration has been deducted, which amounts to about \$100,000, the department will distribute 25 percent to the counties on the basis of the number of vehicles registered in each county and the 75 percent will go into the state highway fund, according to the estimates of Secretary of State Elmer S. Hall, will be approximately \$2,700,000.

Mr. Hall announced on Friday that up to date, 309,400 automobiles had been licensed in the state this year; 20,084 trucks and 5,970 motor cycles. Applications for licenses are being received at the department at a rate of about 100 a day.

Czechoslovakia now produces nearly 700,000 tons of sugar a year. German authors have organized an authors' league.

HANG A LANTERN ON THE LIZZIE IS MILL CITY PROPOSAL

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—The old style lantern may soon become popular equipment on small automobiles in Minneapolis. During discussion by the Minneapolis park commissioners of a proposed ordinance to require front and rear lights on automobiles standing along boulevards and parkways, the question was raised as to what owners of cars whose lights burned only when the motor was running, would do.

"Let them hang up lanterns," suggested Commissioner Kingsley.

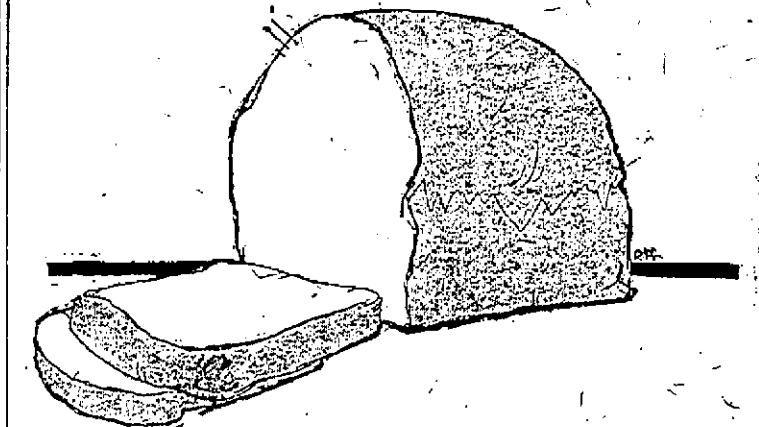
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SCHULTZ' STRIKEOUT LIST TOTALS 13; CRAWFORD 11

Visitors' Third Sacker Gets Three in as Many Trips

"Web" Schultz, twilight hurler for the Nelson clothing company baseball team, met his first defeat of the season when the Blair aggregation got to him for a 7 to 4 victory at Cleveland park Thursday evening.



He has won three twilight bails for the La Crosse Club.

That it was a close game to lose was the spirit of the club and fans who are not offering any alibi for the defeat. Although loose at times

due to errors on the part of both teams, the game was a pretty exhibition of science. Four errors were allowed to slip in by both teams.

Known to be one of the hardest hitting aggregations in this section, the visiting batsmen counted for a total of 10 safe blows off Schultz, whose condition it was apparent to fans, was not up to his standard established in former games. His strike-out list, however, totaling 13, topped that of the big league hurler by two. Schultz allowed two men bases on balls.

The work of Crawford and Benard batteries for the visiting team, was of a caliber seldom boasted by small town aggregations. It was apparent that the big hurler's control was perfect and with the heady work of Benard behind the bat, had local batsmen striking high, wide and otherwise.



Schultz got away lucky in the early stages of the game when the majority of hits were made, allowing but three scores during a free hitting period. Infield support succeeded

in keeping the situation pretty well in hand. Schultz grew younger as the game progressed, his arm having been slightly stiff when he entered the game. Satek stopped over and missed the first pitched ball in the seventh allowing Benard who had tripped, to score.

Marvin, third baseman, was the feature slugger for the visitors, getting three hits in as many trips to the plate. He also counted three scores. Freng, Satek and Smith counted for extra bases for the locals.

The visitors scored a double play in the sixth inning. Tanke led off with a single but failed to move in time when Schaffer sacrificed and he was caught at second. The hit was a pop fly to the left of the pitcher, impossible to see and would have gone for a sacrifice had the runner taken a lead and come down before awaiting for the ball to hit the turf. Well grounded into a double play, short to second to first.

Although they had men on bases, the locals were unable to put over more than one run in any inning, scoring one each in the third, fifth, seventh and eighth. The game was called in the eighth on account of darkness.

An argument arose over Umpire Bart's decision at third base on Satek's three bagger. Satek was called safe but the decision was protested for a time by the visitors. Benard called the second three bagger for the locals.

BOX SCORE

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Steve, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Benard, c	4	0	0	0	0	0
Glassburner, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Oliver, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Marvin, 2nd	4	0	0	0	0	0
Crawford, p	4	0	0	0	0	0
Halverson, 1b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, 1st	4	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, 2nd	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	7	10	24	0	4

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	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Johnson, 2nd	4	0	0	0	0	0
Benard, c	4	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, 2nd	4	0	0	0	0	0
Tanke, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Schaffer, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Woll, 1st	4	0	0	0	0	0
Freng, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Satek, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Schultz, p	4	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	0	0	0	0	0

Blair by innings—012 010 070-7
Nelson Clothing Co.—001 010 011-4
Summary—Three base hits—Benard, Satek and Benard. Two base hits—Crawford, 2; Freng, Halverson, struck out—By Schultz, 13; by Crawford, 21.
Base on balls—Off Schultz, 2; off Crawford, 1. Double play—Steve to Nicholson to Williams.

A reformer says Sunday trains will be stopped in 1925. Yes, at many stations.
The United States annually consumes 4,000,000 tons of sugar.

Miss America Star Performer And Easy Winner of Feature Event of Speed Boat Races

CHICAGO, Ill.—The largest number of hydroplanes ever entered in a race in this country, a victory by the world's fastest craft, and a number of thrills that ended with the sinking of one of the flyers, featured the opening day's speedboat races run over a course north of the municipal pier in connection with the pageant of progress Thursday.

The boat that came to temporary grief was Rosita, a Milwaukee entry. The craft was weakened by bucking the seas, a seam opened up and the racer went down after Phil Bickely had succeeded in driving his boat to within a few feet of the pier. Bickely and his mechanic, equipped like the other contestants with life jackets, swam to safety. The boat was raised out of thirty feet of water and was found to be only slightly damaged.

Miss America Wins Easily
Miss America, owned and driven by Commodore Gar Wood of the Detroit Yacht club, which it represented, was the star performer of the program. Miss America, holder of the Harmsworth trophy, emblematic of the world's championship, won in England last summer, started with Chicago, owned by the Sheldon Clark syndicate of this city in the first heat of the Harry F. Sinclair great lakes championship race and easily won.

TEX RICKARD MATCHES WILSON AND DOWNEY FOR LABOR DAY BOUT

NEW YORK.—Johnny Wilson and Bryan Downey are to fight again. The battle will take place at Jersey City, Labor Day, Sept. 5. Tex Rickard received word from Boston Thursday that Jonathan was willing and anxious for a return bout with this Downey man, to prove to the world at large that Bryan did not play fair in that quarrel at Cleveland the other night.

Wilson is positive that Mr. Downey cheated while swinging his blows during that little party and will be glad to submit further evidence of his belief by taking on the Ohio scrapper for another little jam.

RICKARD CONFERS WITH JESS' MANAGER ON PROPOSED BOUT

NEW YORK.—Tex Rickard, boxing promoter and Ray Archer, manager for Jess Willard, had an appointment to confer here Friday on the proposed return heavyweight championship bout between Champion Jack Dempsey and Willard.

Rickard announced he had a telegram from Willard who is at his home in Lawrence, Kansas, stating that he was ready for a return match and that Archer was empowered to discuss terms.

Given assurances that Willard can get into shape for a bout with Dempsey, Rickard said he was prepared to arrange such a contest.

AN EXPERIMENT

Howard Berry, an all-round college athlete, is going through the same school on the New York Giants that the noted Indian, Jim Thorpe, did several years ago.

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The two boats got away to a fine start and ran bow and bow for five laps of the two and one-half mile course. Then Wood cut loose with Miss America's powerful battery of twenty-four cylinder Liberty motors and the Chicago entry fell farther and farther behind until it was a half lap in the lead. Miss America was not extended any time, while Miss Chicago developed trouble that slowed it materially.

Sixty-one Miles Per Hour

The winner's fastest lap was the last of the ten rounds and was made at the rate of 1 mile an hour. Miss America holds the world's record of 78 miles per hour and Commodore Wood promises to exceed that speed before the present meet ends. He maintains that the Chicago course is the best in the United States.

Miss America is driven by 900 horsepower motors. Miss Chicago is powered with a single twelve cylinder Liberty motor that develops 450 horsepower and is good for a speed of 70 miles per hour.

An interesting feature of the race between the two boats lay in the fact that Commodore Wood's brother, George Wood, drove Miss Chicago, while J. Smith and Bernard Smith, also brothers, were the mechanics on the contestants.

SPORT BRIEFS

DETROIT.—Chicago put St. Louis out of the running in the Printers' national baseball championship, winning in the tenth inning, 5 to 4.

NEW YORK.—Tommy, light heavyweight champion of the A. B. F., was given the judges' decision after a ten round bout with Martin Burke of New Orleans.

LANSING, Mich.—Governor Grosbeck indicated that few boxing or wrestling matches are to be allowed in the state until a new board of control is organized.

INDIANAPOLIS.—Manager Hendricks of the Indianapolis American association team, has obtained Catech Luke Sewell, from the Cleveland Americans, is announced.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Favorable weather conditions were indicated for the two days' regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen over the Buffalo Harbor course, today and tomorrow. Garsmen from all over the United States were entered and thirty of Canada's leading scullers were here to contest the championships over the 1.4 mile route.

BOSTON.—Mike Gibbons, of St. Paul and Gus Plains of England, middleweights, are scheduled to meet here tonight in a ten-round decision bout.

NIPPON'S ACE

Ichiro Kamegawa, Japan's not ace is figured to carry the Nippon team into the finals of the Davis cup matches.

He is playing at the top of his form now and has developed almost perfect accuracy in his placement and service.

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GIANTS LOSE TO CARDS AGAIN, 1-0

Pertica Has Shade on Nehf in Great Mound Battle on Thursday

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—St. Louis made it three straight over New York on Thursday, winning 1 to 0, after a pitchers' battle between Bertie and Nehf. Catchers Snyder and Dillhoefer were put out of the game following a fist fight resulting from Schultz being rendered unconscious when hit by a pitched ball in the eighth inning. While Schultz was being revived from the blow, the effects of which were not considered serious, a remark by Dillhoefer angered Snyder, and umpires and players separated them after several blows had been exchanged. When Snyder left the New York bench shortly afterward he was greeted by a shower of pop bottles from the stands and police were called upon to restore order and see the New York players safely off the field. Score: New York.....000 000 000—0 St. Louis.....000 001 001—1 Batteries: Nehf and Gaston, Snyder; Pertica and Clemens, Dillhoefer.

Pirates, 5; Phils, 0

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Hamilton's pitching achieved a shutout victory for the Pirates over Philadelphia here on Thursday, 5 to 0. Hamilton held the visitors to five hits. Meadows pitched well, except in the second, when the home team scored four runs, partly because of the loose fielding of Philadelphia. Maraville's fielding was a feature. Score: Philadelphia.....000 000 000—0 Pittsburgh.....040 100 000—5 Batteries: Seidewick, Meadows and Braggy; Hamilton and Brotem.

Robins, 2-2; Reds, 1-5
CINCINNATI, Ohio.—Brooklyn and Cincinnati broke even in a double header here on Thursday, the Superbas winning the first game 2 to 1, and the Reds taking the second game. Neither had a bad first inning, giving the locals a winning lead. Donahue struck out eight men. Daubert was hit on the arm by a pitched ball in the first game and was unable to play in the second. Score: Brooklyn.....100 000 010—2 Cincinnati.....000 100 000—1 Batteries: Grimes and Miller; Marquand and Wingo.

Braves, 13; Cubs, 5
CHICAGO, Ill.—The Chicago Nationals under their new manager, Bill Killefer, were defeated by Boston on Thursday, 13 to 5, in a one-sided game in which the visitors pounded the offerings of Ponder and Jones, while the locals aided them with erratic support.

Southworth's batting was a feature, he having cracked out three doubles and a home run in four times at bat and drawing a base on balls and making a sacrifice hit on the two other times up. Score: Boston.....400 042 201—13 Chicago.....201 101 000—5 Batteries: Watson, Pillingham and O'Neill, Cowdy; Ponder, Jones, Freeman and O'Farrell.

SENATORS DOWN CLEVELAND TWICE

Indians Defeated in Both Ends of Twin Bill Thursday, 3 to 1 and 3 to 1

M'WEENEY'S HURLING WINS FOR CHISOX, 5-4

Leonard Hurls Tigers to Win Over Yanks, 8 to 3

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Washington increased its string of consecutive victories to 10 on Thursday by taking both games of a double header from Cleveland, the score of each being 3 to 1. Johnson outpitched Cleveland in the opener and in the second Erickson held the Indians to four scattered hits, while Morion was knocked out of the box in the first inning. Scores: First Game: Cleveland.....000 001 000—1 Washington.....100 001 010—3 Batteries: Coveleskie and O'Neill; Johnson and Fielich. Second Game: Cleveland.....000 010 000—1 Washington.....300 000 000—3 Batteries: Caldwell, Morton and O'Neill, Shinaut; Erickson and Clarity.

Sox 5; Red Sox 4
BOSTON.—McWeeney replaced Hodge in the ninth inning on Thursday with one run in the bases felled and none out and prevented further scoring, Chicago defeating Boston 5 to 4. The hitting of Strunk featured. The score: Chicago.....200 000 021—5 Boston.....000 021 001—4 Batteries: Wiencek, Hodge, McWeeney and Schalk; Thormahlen and Rucl.

Tigers 8; Yanks 3
NEW YORK.—Detroit defeated the New York Americans in the first game of the series on Thursday 8 to 3. Leonard pitched brilliantly for Detroit, Cobb rejoined the Detroit team here on Thursday and hit a home run, a triple and drew a base on balls, scoring three runs in four trips to the plate. Score: Detroit.....301 000 022—8 New York.....000 100 020—3 Batteries: Leonard and Bassler; and Schang.

Browns 7 Macks 5
PHILADELPHIA.—St. Louis made it 10 out of 12 from the Philadelphia Americans on Thursday by winning Thursday's game, 5 to 3. Shocker held the Athletics to four hits until the ninth, when he and his support weakened and the local team made four runs. Joe Dugan reappeared at third base. Score: St. Louis.....100 030 300—7 Philadelphia.....000 000 014—5 Batteries: Shocker and Severeid; Freeman, Rommel and Keefe.

Southern cotton mills in 1919 consumed 3,500,000 bales of cotton.

HOW THEY STAND

American League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	52	37	.584
New York	52	36	.591
Washington	57	48	.543
Detroit	48	57	.450
St. Louis	47	51	.480
Chicago	44	56	.444
Boston	44	56	.440
Philadelphia	36	62	.367

National League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	53	35	.602
New York	51	40	.561
Boston	55	40	.578
Brooklyn	52	50	.510
St. Louis	50	45	.521
Chicago	42	57	.424
Cincinnati	42	57	.424
Philadelphia	30	67	.302

American Association	Won	Lost	Pct.
Louisville	56	47	.543
Minneapolis	56	47	.543
Milwaukee	57	48	.543
Kansas City	55	47	.539
St. Paul	49	55	.471
Indianapolis	49	55	.471
Toledo	47	58	.445
Columbus	42	61	.408

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

American League
Washington, 3-2; Cleveland, 1-1.
Chicago, 5-2; Cincinnati, 1-3.
Detroit, 3-1; New York, 3.
St. Louis, 7; Philadelphia, 5.

National League
St. Louis, 5; Philadelphia, 0.
Boston, 13; Chicago, 5.
Cincinnati, 2; Cincinnati, 1-3.
Brooklyn, 5-2; Cincinnati, 1-3.

American Association
Minneapolis, 13; Louisville, 8.
Kansas City, 11; Columbus, 2.
Indianapolis, 5; St. Paul, 2.
Milwaukee at Toledo, postponed on account of Grand Circuit races.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

American League
Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Washington.

National League
Boston at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.

American Association
Milwaukee at Toledo.
Kansas City at Columbus.
Minneapolis at Louisville.
St. Paul at Indianapolis.

BRITONS SCORE AN EVEN BREAK IN DAVIS CUP PLAY

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—An even split was the result of the first day's play in the Davis cup tennis matches at the Allegheny Country club, Thursday. Joe Anderson of Australia defeated Maxwell Woosnam of the British Isles team in the first match, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4, 6-4, while the second was won by F. Gordon Lowe of the British Isles, who defeated J. B. Hawkes, the Australian, in three straight sets, 6-4, 6-4, 6-1.

Woosnam appeared slow at the start but by persistent work at the net, added to the careful placing of his volleys, came from behind and captured the first set, 6-4.

The fifth and sixth games were the most brilliant of the set, each going to deuce as did the next one. Woosnam proved himself the stronger player in the crises.

CHICAGO.—Joe Welling and Sailor Freeman, lightweights, are scheduled to box ten rounds tonight at Aurora, Ill.

BILL KILLEFER TO PILOT CHICAGO CUBS SUCCEEDING EVERS

Definite Announcement of Long Expected Change Made on Thursday in Statement

EVERS TO BE PAID FOR REMAINDER OF SEASON

New Manager Assumes Full Control of Reins Thursday

CHICAGO, Ill.—Definite announcement of the long expected change in management of the Chicago Cubs was made Thursday in a formal statement issued by President Veeck to the effect that William Killefer has been appointed to take charge of the team in place of John J. Evers, deceased.

The statement assured the fans that Evers would be paid his salary in full for the rest of the season. It follows:

"William Killefer today was appointed manager of the Chicago Cubs. At a meeting of the executive committee held in the Wrigley building Tuesday, the decision to appoint Killefer as manager was reached.

Evers Recovered From Illness
"After this decision had been arrived at, it was learned that John J. Evers, then manager of the club, was seriously ill and of course in no condition to discuss it. It was then decided that Killefer would be acting manager until such time as Mr. Evers had recovered. His condition had improved sufficiently at noon today and the permanent change took place.

"The decision to dispense with the managerial services of Mr. Evers naturally was reached with considerable regret, and as an evidence of this it was voted to continue his salary in full until the close of the 1921 season."

President Veeck had a conference with Evers Thursday morning, and the former manager's doctor reported that the danger that his cold would develop into pneumonia had passed, although he was still weak.

Evers to Act as Scout?
Neither Veeck nor Evers would discuss their future relations, as to whether the latter would act as scout for the rest of the season. President Veeck said that was entirely up to Evers.

Manager Killefer, who assumed the reins permanently Thursday, declined to forecast the future of the team, but declared he would do the best he could.

Concerning the report that Jim Vaughn would be restored to good standing by the new manager, Killefer declined to talk, but President Veeck said the pitcher's suspension would not expire until August 9, when it would be up to Vaughn to report in condition to resume pitching for the team.

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BRITISH PREMIER TELLS THE CHURCH TO QUIT POLITICS

English Evangelical Churches Resent Speech at Methodist Meeting

LONDON.—Prime Minister Lloyd George has aroused the ire of leading churchmen by telling them that they ought to keep out of politics.

The occasion was the general assembly of the Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church at Aberdare, Wales, when the Premier delivered an address, in the course of which he complained of public utterances by highly placed clergymen at church conferences and elsewhere on questions of the day such as Ireland and the industrial unrest, which he asserted, "they were not in the least competent to discuss." He stigmatized their observations as "interferences in the task of government, which, if followed, are replete with mischief both to the church and to the state."

This indictment has aroused a storm of protest and rebuke among Mr. Lloyd George's former colleagues in the Free Churches, and resolutions have been passed at various evangelical council meetings strongly dissenting from the Prime Minister's attitude.

Dr. John Clifford, the veteran Baptist leader, asserts that the Premier's doctrine is contrary to his own, which is that "the churches should take such action as to secure the application of the principles of the Gospel of Christ to the political conditions of the world."

More outspoken is the Rev. H. J. Taylor, a Primitive Methodist leader, who says, "The Premier declares that the business of the church and its ministers is to mind their own job. Their job is to demand that the Premier should practice religion in the law of the land."

From the pulpit of St. Paul's Covent Garden, the Bishop of Chelmsford flung the Premier that he would not accept his rulings.

"If he had said the church must not interfere in party politics, we might be agreed; but that is very different to politics," the bishop said. "The government touches human life at every point, and the church cannot agree to refrain from expressing her opinion upon that which touches all her members."

"We are going to make continuous war upon all that poisons the atmosphere," continued the bishop, "we intend to have our politics impregnated with the right spirit—that of Christianity."

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GERMANS IN SPIKED HELMETS SALUTE BRITISH DEAD



German soldiers are shown firing a salute at the grave of a British non-commissioned officer at Munsterlager Camp, near Hanover. They also were included in the funeral procession.

INDUSTRIAL COURT IS PROVING ITSELF SAYS GOV. ALLEN

Executive Says Judgments of New Institution Appeal to Both Capital and Labor

TOPEKA, KAN.—After a year and a half of operation, the future of the Kansas court of industrial relations seems assured, Gov. Henry J. Allen declared in a statement.

"Each of the twenty-eight orders and judgments of the court rendered thus far has been accepted by both sides of the controversy, excepting the last which is now pending on appeal before the state supreme court," Governor Allen said.

"Employers and employees alike are coming to regard the court as an up-to-date method for settling industrial disputes."

"The result in the coal mining district has been most striking. Under conditions created by the industrial court last year, the miners were enabled to work 30 per cent more than the year before, with the resultant increase in production of fuel for the public and wages to the miners."

"Interest in the Kansas remedy for industrial war is becoming world-wide. The pressing need for similar

legislation in other states has become apparent, and many are preparing to follow the lead of Kansas in providing for justice in labor troubles."

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LETTER TAX TO EKE OUT REVENUE

Measure Favored by Harding Would Raise \$70,000,000 Revenue in Year

By HARRY HUNT

WASHINGTON.—The extremity to which congress is forced in its search for new sources of revenue is illustrated by the proposal, sanctioned by President Harding, that letter postage be increased from 2 cents to 3 cents.

The proposal, which would be turned into the treasury as general revenue, is based on the fact that the postal revenue for the month of June was \$68,000 behind June, 1920, Philadelphia showed a shrinkage of \$131,000, Cleveland of \$70,000, Brooklyn of \$71,000, Pittsburgh \$41,000, Buffalo \$32,000, Akron \$35,000 and St. Paul \$20,000.

It now seems certain that this letter tax will be included in the new revenue bill.

Between \$70,000,000 and \$80,000,000 annually would be raised by this

letter tax, with practically no additional expense for collection.

While the president has indicated he favors the higher letter postage as an equitable means of helping to prevent a deficit in the Postoffice Department due to increasing losses in parcel post business, the Postoffice Department disclaims responsibility for or interest in the proposed increase.

The extent to which postal revenues have been shrinking is indicated by reports from the 50 largest cities for the month of June.

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New York City in June showed an increase, but the gain there was more than offset by losses elsewhere.

It is understood a postal deficit of \$10,000,000 will be reported

for the present fiscal year. The deficit for the fiscal year 1920, reported last December, was \$17,270,482.

WIFE DIDN'T SUIT HIM: TRIED TO MAKE HER OVER

RENO.—Lo Roy Gensler is being sued for divorce here. His wife says he told her she was 100 tall and slim and that her eyes were too large. When she said she couldn't help it, he proceeded to make her over to suit himself. He first rubbed her eyes, she says, with his fists, then proceeded to finish the job until she could hardly recognize herself.

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